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# HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XXIX.

HOLLAND, MICH., FRIDAY, OCT. 26, 1900.

NO. 41

## Next Week's Specials.

Beginning Saturday, Oct. 27th and will continue for the coming week with the following goods at the following prices:

Lot No. 1:

5 Ladies' Astrachan Capes, good lining and fur trimming, a bargain at \$4.00,  
**Special \$2.39.**

Lot No. 2:

5 Astrachan and Beaver Capes, 30 in. long, full sweep and lined a bargain \$4.50,  
**Special \$2.99**

Lot No. 3:

5 Astrachan Capes, 36 in. long, good lining, Tibet trimming, special for next week only \$4.99.

We will also sell our entire line of Outings at the following prices for the coming week only:

5c. Outing, light and dark shade,	4c.
5 and 9c " " " "	6 1-2c.
10c. " " " "	8c.

To obtain these goods at the prices offered you will have to call at

### A. I. KRAMER,

34 W. Eighth St., Holland, Mich.

To Fit or Not to Fit,



That is the question. Any Spectacle is no more adapted to your face than any coat to your body. The fit of the frame is as important as the fit of the lenses. We make a specialty at both.

You furnish the need, we satisfy it.

EXAMINATION FREE.  
SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

### W. R. STEVENSON,

Graduate Optician.

24 East Eighth St.

### A. C. Van Raalte Gilmore,

DENTIST.

Vanpell Block. 21 W. Eighth St.

## A Bad Comb

usually looks like a good one when you buy it. That is a failing in the comb business, and it is the reason why so many people pay a good price for a poor comb.

We have recently bought a fine lot of combs that we are selling at fair prices, and, quality considered, they cannot be excelled.

### Con. De Pree's Drug Store.

Corner 8th St. and Central Ave.

## Holland City News.

Published every Friday. Terms \$1.50 per year, with a discount of 50 cents to those paying in advance.

MULDER BROS. & WHELAN, Pubs.

Rates of advertising made known on application.

HOLLAND CITY News Printing House, Boot & Kramer Bldg., Eighth St., Holland, Mich.

## CITY AND VICINITY.

Hon. G. J. Diekema will make the closing address of the republican campaign in Grand Haven.

A special meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of Hope church will be held Wednesday Oct. 31 at the home of Mrs. J. P. Oggel.

Attorney Geo. E. Kollen has returned from a campaign trip through Iowa which he made in the interest of the state central committee of that state.

The Spring Lake Hotel, together with all its furnishings was sold Saturday by Mr. Jaratt to a Chicago hotel man named Dyer, proprietor of The Hotel Del Prado, near Jackson Park.

Prof. Armstrong, leader of the West Michigan band, and W. O. Thomas will leave Sunday night for Chicago to play with Derhaumer's military band of South Haven at the meeting of the Squad Money league.

The republican meeting which was to be held in Zutphen next Monday evening, has been postponed until next Friday. On that date good speakers will be in attendance and a rousing rally is expected.

The grandest political demonstration ever held in Zeeland, will take place next Wednesday evening in honor of Congressman William Alden Smith, who will deliver an address. A torchlight procession will be given. It is expected that the McKinley-Smith republican club will make arrangements to attend and join in the parade.

Frank Mattison, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Mattison, arrived home last Saturday from the west, where he has been for a year. He brought with him a wild horse equipped with cowboy saddle, braking bit, spurs and lasso. He expresses himself as well pleased with the western country. He visited his brother Charles, at Wallace, Idaho, went through Washington to the Pacific coast, visited with his uncle at Kalispell, Montana, and was at the Flathead reservation, where he bought his horse, but he says Michigan is his home.

The Holland foot ball team won its second victory of the season at the fair grounds last Saturday afternoon. They met and vanquished the Grand Rapids high school eleven in a fiercely contested game. The first half was a tie. Until the last three minutes of the second half it looked as if it were going to be a tie game. The Grand Rapids boys, science and nerve to the last, held their opponents for downs until with but three minutes to play Van Patten was shoved over the line for a touchdown after gains made by De Pree and De Kleine. Davidson kicked goal making the score 6 to 0 in favor of Holland. The Holland team is entitled to great credit for its victory. The eleven is the strongest ever put on the gridiron in this city. Following was the line up in Saturday's game:

## LINE-UP.

HOLLAND.	GRAND RAPIDS
Billy, 1c	Chaffee or Voorhies, r e
Van Patten, 1t	Sweet, r t
Borgman, 1g	Palmer, r g
Overfield, c	Bunker or Cook, c
Stebbins, c g	Frub, 1g
Hare, r t	Croswan, 1t
Poe, r g	Clay, 1c
Davidson, q b	Haugh, q b
Schouten, 1 b	Forbes, r b b
Damson, r b	Turion, 1 b b
De Pree 1 b	Kosteren, 1 b

## ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

Will Breyman has installed a new burglar proof safe in his jewelry store on River street.

Saugatuck is coming 50 strong to attend the Foraker rally with the Holland delegation next Monday night.

If you are in time you can get good cotton flannel for 4 cents a yard next Wednesday from 10 till 11 o'clock at John Vandersluis. See his window of new dress trimmings.

If you intend to go to Grand Rapids on the Foraker special train Monday evening secure your tickets early so that the committee on arrangements may know how many to prepare for.

Four years ago the Republican majority in Saugatuck township was 37. A canvas taken this week shows that they will probably increase the majority to 75, if not more. Democracy has taken a bad tumble in this section.—Douglas Record.

The quail hunting season opened last Saturday and a great many of Holland's best sportsmen took advantage of the fine weather and scoured the woods for game. Con De Pree, M. Yalomstein, Henry Kleintveld, C. J. De Roo, and W. H. Thomas lead the local hunters thus far.

John Cochran died last Wednesday at his home near Alpena Beach, after a prolonged illness. His age was 73 years and he resided in this part of the county for the last 33 years. He leaves a wife and two sons, Wilbur and Jay, to mourn his loss. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the house.

The thirtieth annual meeting of the Michigan Horticultural society will be held in Allegan on Dec. 4 to 6, inclusive. There will be fruit growers in attendance from all parts of the state and in addition to the annual election of officers and the transaction of regular business, there will be a number of special addresses and papers on subjects relating to the growth and cultivation of horticultural products in the state.

Miss Stella Clarke has organized a juvenile dancing class and will give the opening hop tomorrow afternoon from 2 to 5. Sessions will be held at Odd Fellows hall every Saturday afternoon. Miss Clarke will organize an evening class next Friday evening, October 7. No invitations will be issued but those wishing to join the class are requested to meet at Odd Fellows hall next Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The first shovelful of dirt in the construction of the new Grand Rapids, Grand Haven & Muskegon electric railroad was turned at Coopersville last Saturday by vice-president Thos. F. Carroll of Grand Rapids. Mr. Carroll made brief remarks, referring to the auspicious occasion which marked the opening of the work on the first electric line to Grand Haven. There is no longer any doubt about the immediate building of the road. Saturday the wagons, scrapers and picks were unloaded at Coopersville, from Detroit, and active operations will begin at once. The company has obtained the private right of way, having secured a strip of land two rods wide from farmers along the route, and a franchise has been granted it by the Ottawa county board of supervisors for the use of the state roads in Wright and Polkton townships.

The proposition to bond Allegan for \$8,000 to partly reimburse the Pere Marquette railroad for bringing its line into the center of the village, was carried by an overwhelming majority at the special election held Tuesday 579 voting for it to 68 against. To avoid the law in regard to bonding for the benefit of a private corporation, the ostensible object of the bonding was to establish a public park, but the railroad will be given the bulk of the money. To bring the line into the depression in which the village is built will be a costly job, as it involves a drop of some sixty feet from the grade as it now is. The overwhelming majority shows that the people want the extension. The vote was large, being but fifty-three short of the total vote cast at the regular election last spring. It is proposed to issue the bonds at once and get the work started as soon as possible.

Major Scranton Circle Ladies of the G. A. R. holds its next regular meeting Wednesday evening, Oct. 24, at 7:30 o'clock.

The electric car leaves for Saugatuck each day as follows: 1:02, 8:14, 9:26, 10:38 11:50 a. m.; 1:02, 2:14, 3:26, 4:38, 5:50, 7:02, 8:14 and 9:25, p. m.

Seats for Hope College lecture course reserved at W. H. Hasdell's jewelry store. Seats for division A and B are to be reserved Saturday, Oct. 27, for division C Monday, the 29th. Tickets are now on sale.

F. M. Smart, of the Grand Rapids & Holland Electric railway announces that all of the right of way has been secured between here and Zeeland and that next week men and teams will be in demand to begin work.

The Rev. M. Filipe of Passaic, N. J., has declined the call sent him by the Second Reformed church of Grand Rapids to take the place of the Rev. D. J. De Bey, who resigned to accept the call of the Reformed church of Holland, Neb.

Geo. T. Ryder so well known to old students has returned and is taking senior law. His portrayal of Shakespearean characters has won him an enviable reputation and the literary societies have received him with open arms.—Valparaiso College Current.

The Rev. F. A. Strough pastor of the Allegan Presbyterian church will preach at Hope church Sunday morning and evening. Mr. Strough is a newcomer to the state of Michigan from the Congregational church of Little Falls, N. Y. and is a speaker of unusual power. On Monday evening Mr. Strough, who has been a professional lecturer, will give a sermon lecture entitled the "Modern Prodigal Son." The admission will be free. The lecture will be held in Hope Church and a collection will be taken.

The first shovelful of dirt on the Grand Rapids, Holland & Lake Michigan Rapid Transit railway was thrown this morning by Ben S. Hanchett, Jr., vice-president of the road. Actual work of grading was commenced as soon as the formal ceremonies were over, and will be continued until the line is finished. Work will be commenced the first of next week on that part of the road which is to lie between Holland and Zeeland, and it is expected that both that and the Grand Rapids-Jenison end will be completed and that cars will be running before snow flies. The fourteen miles of road between Jenison and Zeeland will not be built until next spring, but service will begin on the two ends just as soon as it is possible to secure it. When completed Grand Rapids trains will be run through Holland to Macatawa Park and connection will be made with the Saugatuck road at the switch near the power house. Both roads will hereafter be run under the one management and will be consolidated under the name of the Grand Rapids, Holland & Lake Michigan Railway company.

At a meeting of the common council held last Tuesday night the clerk reported the oath of office of Peter Van der Tak as alderman of the First ward on file in his office. The following resolution was introduced by Alderman Habermann: Resolved that the contract between the City of Holland and the Holland Sugar Company relative to the outlet of the Twelfth street sewer and the lands necessary for the same reported by the board of public works to the common council October 16, 1900 be and is hereby approved. Said resolution did not prevail, by yeas and nays as follows: Yeas 0. Nays, A. L. Van den Tak, Kleis, Flieman, K. L. Sprietsma, Luidens, Van Patten, Habermann, Riksen—9. The following resolution was introduced by Ald. Van Patten: Resolved, that the matter of purchasing the necessary land for the sewer at the west end of Twelfth street be referred to a committee consisting of the Mayor and the City Attorney. Said resolution prevailed, all voting aye. On motion of Ald. Luidens the bond of Bos & Bolhuis and contract between said Bos & Bolhuis and the city of Holland for the construction of reduction tank on west Twelfth street were approved.

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Why not buy from a firm like ours? We never do much blowing; Our goods, treatment and prices do that for us.

## CLOTHING.

We have the most stylish clothing at prices to meet any competition. Come and see us—we do the rest. Our business in this line grows by pushing—we are at it harder than ever. Let us tell you about your new Suit and Overcoat

## SHOES!

Our values in this this line will make us firmer freinds. Quality style and durability are all strong points of our line.

We can't leave new goods packed in cases and we don't like to pack old goods away, so we are making prices that will keep us busy.

## Lokker & Rutgers Co.,

39 East Eighth st.,

Holland, Mich.



Calendar for October 1900 with dates 1-31 and a small table below it.

Holland City News.

Plans are now being made at Washington for two handsome new life-saving stations, one at Chicago and the other at Racine. Superintendent Kimball, chief of the life-saving service, says that preparations for the Chicago station are now well advanced while plans for new station at Racine are yet in embryo. The Chicago station will be the equal of any other station now represented in the service. The most difficult matter connected with its erection, according to Superintendent Kimball, is that of a foundation. Specifications for a stone foundation, to cost \$8,000, that will practically amount to a stalwart sea wall are now being prepared. The site is about a quarter of a mile east of the present station, or in the angle of the south pier and harbor breakwater, bringing out even with the light near that point. Racine's new station will be located between lighthouse and the shore in Racine harbor, and will also be a very fine affair when completed.

The Barry line steamer F. & P. M. No. 1, arrived at Muskegon and will continue on the Muskegon-Chicago run in place of the Mabel Bradshaw until the company purchases its new winter steamer.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Ottawa County reported 52 deaths in September. Muskegon 57 and Allegan 46. Of the deaths in Ottawa county Allendale reported 1. Blenden 2, Chester 3, Georgetown 3, Holland town 9, Jamestown 3, Holland town 9, Jamestown 3, Polkton 2, Robinson 1, Spring Lake 2, Tallmadge 3, Wright 1, Zeeland 6, Grand Haven City 3, Holland City 13.

County Clerk Hoyt issued more marriage licenses last week than were issued in this county in any one week before. Sixteen was the count.

Filmore.

The nice weather is enjoyed by us all but especially by those that are busy with the sugar beets.

The Graafschap Creamery paid 19 cents per pound for the butter received from the farmers during the month of September.

K. Dykhuus is drawing his sugar beets to the factory as fast as he can get them dug. It seems that his beets are better than any of the others because he is allowed to bring them all and we must wait for orders and pit the beets and this is fair business and serves us all alike.

Our band boys gave some fine music in Hamilton last Monday evening at the republican rally. Our congressman Mr. Hamilton is a very good speaker and was listened to with interest by our farmers.

Hamilton.

Abner Kelley now owns and occupies the John Iogham house.

Chas. Sears of Grand Rapids, is visiting his brother H. A. Sears.

Mrs. H. Sears is still quite ill.

A tin wedding was given last Saturday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Woodruff.

Ben Sears has moved to Holland.

Mrs. A. Kelley went to Grand Rapids last Saturday.

Jennie Kolvoord is back from Battle Creek.

Hamilton is bound to have a brass band.

Mr. Smith the book auctioneer was rather more sarcastic than polite and he lost some good customers in consequence.

There was a great republican rally Monday eve. E. L. Hamilton spoke. There was a goodly attendance and a good band which discoursed some fine music.

John Illy has tired of single blessedness and has taken unto himself a wife, we were not looking for such things from John, but by the way he flies around we will bet he will take good care of her.

Bass fishing is fine and some beauties are being taken from the river here.

Pickles are being shipped from the factory here in barrels instead of the tank cars usually in use.

Charley Bradley is staying in Hamilton for a few days.

Why can't Hamilton have electric lights plenty of good water power and every thing favorable. We also need a system for fire protection here bad, all we need is for some one to make a start in the matter.

East Holland.

While J. Nies and his sister were returning from Holland last Friday evening the horse became frightened and made a sudden dash to one side. The result was a run a way horse a smashed buggy top and bruised faces and limbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Geerlings spent a few days in Grand Rapids.

Last Wednesday evening the East Holland band boys with their lady friends were pleasantly entertained at the home of F. Van Slooten.

The copious rains of last Monday has presented a different appearance to the wheat fields and meadows.

Mrs. G. Rooks who spent several weeks with relatives in N. Dakota has returned.

While B. Hoekma and family were out visiting, burglars entered their house. Only a small amount of cash was secured.

Miss Kate Terpstra has returned from Saugatuck where she spent the greater part of the summer.

Herman Rooks is one of the bands of Albers hay pressing of Overisel.

William De Witt and family spent a few days with J. Weersing before they left for the northern peninsula.

The Christian Reformed church has extended a call to the Rev. Mr. Post of Lamont.

The young people of this neighborhood are putting forth efforts to organize a singing school.

Port Sheldon.

Everyone is busy with their fall work.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Munn and family are here on a visit from up north. We hear that they intend to move back to the Lake Shore in Spring and we are all glad to hear of it.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Shroder were in Holland Tuesday and we understand that Mrs. Shroder went to Kalamazoo to see her son, H. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Van der Woude of Holland spent Sunday with relatives.

Mrs. Chas. Anys was the guest of relatives this week.

Chas Lyons has a gun that is 138 years old. It is quite a curiosity. It is an old flint lock gun and was carried in the Regiment 41 U. S. Cavalry.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Cook spent Sunday at Mr. H. Harrington's.

Rev. C. M. Durvea and L. Kline went to Grand Haven Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Kline spent Sunday in Holland.

West Olive.

Rev. Mr. Cline, our new pastor, who took M. J. Brownell's place at Robinson, was in this village last week calling on friends.

Mrs. H. Goodman returned last week from Lacota where she went on a visit.

Geo. W. McBride, of Grand Haven made a powerful speech here Friday night at our Republican meeting. His remarks on the Philippines, South Africa and imperialism were explained so well that none of the Democrats could say a word against them. Never was there such a large crowd at our school house. The greatest enthusiasm prevailed because we have got prosperity and it will remain.

Sam Mountford, of Holland, spent Sunday with Wm. Marble. Sam says that he would rather live here than in Holland.

Chas. Etel one of our German farmers will build a brick foundation under his house soon.

Alfred R. Wabble of Port Sheldon, who supported Bryan four years ago, announces that he will vote for McKinley this fall, and that is the way that all fair minded Democrats should do at once. Mr. Wabble served as justice of the peace one term but was defeated for re-election by Chris Cook two years ago.

Rev. Rork of Agnew, and Rev. Cline of Robinson conducted the services of a large congregation last Sunday. The Sunday school was largely attended. Again we say that we need a church.

Too bad; too bad; the democrats tried to hold a meeting here last Saturday night but the result of it was a disastrous failure. D. R. Waters of Spring Lake intended making a speech but as the crowd was so small and the enthusiasm for the Republicans so great, the meeting had to be postponed until another false prophet is sent here. We can listen to them, but we cannot believe because if a man can't see the good times he must feel the effects of a famine.

C. B. Ingersoll had a barn raising Wednesday about 40 men helped him. When done the barn will be the best in this locality. A good stone foundation and a gable roof is the best.

Ed. Maynard our first class store keeper has a good supply of winter goods on hand consisting of clothing, caps, gloves, and will soon have furs and rubbers, when the weather attempts to freeze us to death. That's right Ed, take care and keep us warm.

Bryan saw a Croker on a Hill and it was Jones, with his cotton trust. Take care Billy don't offend your chairman by talking against his giant octopus.—Ex.

Wm. Alden Smith will speak at Olive Center Saturday night, Nov. 3, so let everybody turn out around here and give him a grand reception. We have a band that can play. Hail to the chief, and the torch lights to light up the good road to prosperity. So welcome him.

Our industrious farmers between here and the lake are giving the ears of the corn a good cuffing at present. Connell Bros., are husking 35 acres. Most corn fields give us 50 bushels to each acre.

The correspondent received a letter from a man in Tennessee, and that letter "let the cat out the bag" in regard why the Southern states are called the Solid South. He says that the whites are about all Democrats, and they vote that ticket because if they did not stay together, the "niggers" would rule over them and on this account they are almost solid for the Republican party. But he says "that if I lived up north I would be a Republican" and so this explains the intentions of the rest of them down there. By leaving out the silver states and the "niggers" Wm. McKinley would carry the election by an immense majority in favor of sound money, protection and prosperity.

A carload of rye was shipped by E. Maynard this week, a carload of straw by J. B. Estelle and a carload of steam

wood by Barry Bros.

Abe Boyer, Sr., plastered the residence of F. Grebenski this week.

H. Verboeks was here Saturday. He is having his residence rebuilt in Grand Haven.

There are now 36 Republicans who can vote within one mile and a half from West Olive and only 12 Democrats and several of that party have been stirred up badly since Gen. W. McBride spoke. Isn't that too bad?

Theo. Schilling and family will remove to Milwaukee this week or next where they will spend the winter. We will miss them very much.

Mrs. F. Beach visited with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Marble Monday and Tuesday. Wm. Marble returned with her to Lake Harbor, where he will trap for some time.

The cider mill has made some improvements lately. A new water injector was added to the engine and a buzz saw is in operation, in order to saw wood quickly.

Consumption the Snake.

Consumption is the serpent of diseases—it creeps upon its victims and fastens its deadly fangs without warning. "Only a cold" is hurrying millions to the grave to-day. Don't neglect that cold of yours. Cleveland's Lung Healer will cure it without fail. It doesn't hurt you can have your money back. It is the most successful remedy in the world today. We will give you a trial bottle free. Large bottles 25 cents at Heber Walsh, druggist.

Doctors Never Disagree.

on one point—that celery is nature's own remedy for all nerve diseases. The purest and best celery preparation in the world is Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea. It cures all nervous troubles, indigestion, constipation, liver and kidney diseases, and all skin diseases and eruptions. It purifies the blood and tones up the whole system. We will give you a free trial package. Large packages 25 cents at Heber Walsh, druggist.

No one would ever be bothered with constipation if everyone knew how naturally and quickly Burdock Blood Bitters regulates the stomach and bowels.

Cures croup, sore throat, pulmonary trouble.—Monarch over pain of every sort. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil.

"A dose in time saves lives." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup; nature's remedy for coughs, colds, pulmonary diseases of every sort.

Scald head is an eczema of the scalp very severe sometimes, but it can be cured. Doan's Ointment, quick and permanent in its results. At any drug store, 50 cents.

A Thousand Tongues.

Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer, of Philadelphia, when Dr. King's New Discovery cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. She says: "After all other remedies and doctors failed it soon relieved the pain in my chest and I can now sleep soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like sounding its praises throughout the Universe." Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed to cure all troubles of the Throat, Chest or Lungs. Price 50 cents and \$1. Trial bottles 10 cents at drug stores of Heber Walsh, Holland and Van Bree & Son, Zeeland.

WANTED—Honest man or woman to travel for large house; salary \$60 monthly and expenses, with increase position permanent; inclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Manager, 330 Caxton bldg., Chicago. 40 26w

You need our goods—we need your money, let's swap. Lokker & Rutgers Co.

Fall and Winter Millinery.

in all the latest styles and prices so low that every lady will be pleased when she purchases her hat at the

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CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH PENNYROYAL PILLS

Beware of Counterfeits. Refuse all Substitutes.

Safe. Always reliable. Ladies, ask Druggist for CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH PENNYROYAL PILLS. Take no other. Beware of dangerous imitations and imitations. Buy of your Druggist, or send 4c. in stamps for Particulars, Testimonials and "Bottle for Ladies." In letter by return mail, 10,000 Testimonials, Sold by all Druggists. CHICHESTER CHEMICAL CO., London Square, FINE, PA.

MAKE A PEACE PROPOSAL

Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching Indicate a Basis for the Conduct of Negotiations.

TIME TO END THE PRESENT SITUATION.

Say Accomplices of the Boxers Will Be Handed Over to the Courts—Demand Immediate Cessation of Hostilities—France Wants Guilty Leaders Punished First.

Paris, Oct. 19.—The Rovas agency has received the following dispatch from Peking: The diplomatic corps has received a joint note from Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching saying that it is time to end the present situation and to treat for peace, and that the princes and ministers who were accomplices of the Boxers will be handed over to the courts, to be judged and punished according to Chinese law. In their quality of plenipotentiaries Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching offer to treat for peace and accept the principle of indemnities for the legations destroyed. The losses are to be estimated by delegates of the powers. European nations can be accorded fresh commercial advantages on the old treaties modified; but, as the requirements of the powers vary, each power must formulate its own. The plenipotentiaries demand an immediate cessation of hostilities because of their offer and request an interview with the tsung-li-yamen for October 21.

Must First Punish the Guilty. Replying to the note, M. Pichon, the French minister, said that China, having recognized that she had violated the law of nations, was bound to accept, for that very reason, the responsibilities involved. Consequently he demanded that exemplary punishment be inflicted upon the principals guilty, namely, Prince Tuan, Prince Chwang, Kang Yi and Tung Fu Hsiang, adding that so long as their heads had not fallen it was impossible to cease hostilities.

China Harries Matters. Washington, Oct. 20.—The Chinese government has made a request upon Secretary Hay that negotiations begin Saturday at Peking looking to a settlement of the Chinese question. It is said at the state department that Mr. Conger's instructions are sufficient in breadth to enable him to proceed with negotiations to-day without further orders from the department.

Form an Alliance. London, Oct. 22.—Germany and England have formed an alliance to maintain territorial integrity of China and to keep ports open.

Received in Washington. Washington, Oct. 22.—The state department has received a copy of the Anglo-German agreement regarding China. The feeling of state department officials on the subject is one of general satisfaction and is recognized as in line with the attitude of the United States toward China, as already defined by Secretary Hay and by other great powers. The officials say, however, that it is probably a misnomer to call it an alliance.

Meets with Favor. Washington, Oct. 23.—It is authoritatively stated that the United States government views with distinct favor the principles enunciated in the Anglo-German agreement relating to China, and that a formal response to that effect will be made at an early day to the invitation extended to this government to accept the principles of the agreement.

Admit Guilt. Washington, Oct. 24.—Advices received say Chinese commissioners admit China's guilt in besieging legations, offer terms for reparation and ask withdrawal of foreign troops when peace treaties are concluded. Washington officials think the Anglo-German agreement on China, as published, is supplemented by secret arrangements covering other territory. The Fourteenth United States infantry has departed from Peking.

Death List Grows. Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 23.—Later reports from the Lodi cyclone state the loss of life is greater than first stated. Some ten or fifteen people are said to have lost their lives. It is definitely known six negroes were killed in a house that was demolished. The path of the storm was 200 yards wide. It is feared the worst reports have not yet been received. Many country houses were blown away.

Filipino General Captured. Manila, Oct. 18.—Under cover of a stormy night, Capt. Elliot, of the Fortieth infantry, surprised the rebel headquarters near Oroquieta, Island of Mindanao, and captured, without fighting, Gen. Alvarez, with his staff and 25 soldiers. The capture is important, and will tend to pacify the district. Alvarez had been for a long time provoking hostilities in Mindanao.

Christmas Boxes to Go Free. Washington, Oct. 22.—Christmas packages for American soldiers serving abroad will be transported by the government free of charge from either San Francisco or New York. This was done last year and proved popular.

Youtsey Found Guilty. Georgetown, Ky., Oct. 22.—Henry E. Youtsey, tried as a principal in the murder of William Goebel, was found guilty and his punishment fixed at life imprisonment.

Lived Over a Century. Sanford, Fla., Oct. 24.—Mrs. Charlotte A. Sanderson died at her home here, aged 100 years and six months.

Wm. Brusse & Co., Cor. Eighth and River Streets.

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Lv. Allegan.....	a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.
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## DEATH OF JOHN SHERMAN

Former Member of Two Cabinets, Senator and Representative, Expires in Washington.

HIS EVENTFUL LIFE ENDS PEACEFULLY.

Brain Exhaustion, Due to Old Age, the Immediate Cause of His Demise—President Deeply Affected and Issues a Proclamation—Brief Sketch of the Statesman's Career.

Washington, Oct. 23.—Hon. John Sherman, former representative in the house, for a long term a member of the senate, and twice holding cabinet positions, died at his residence in this city at a quarter before seven o'clock Monday morning, in the seventy-eighth year of his age. His death had been expected for some days, and loving friends gave him their unremitting care and attention to the end. The immediate cause of death was described as brain exhaustion, incident to extreme weakness due to old age and to several attacks of sickness from which he had suffered for the past year and a half. Since Saturday afternoon Mr. Sherman had been most of the time unconscious, rallying partially at intervals, when slight nourishment was given him. Sunday afternoon evidences of the approaching end were manifest and he failed to regain consciousness after three



EX-SECRETARY OF STATE JOHN T. SHERMAN.

o'clock, passing away peacefully just after dawn-broke. About one o'clock Monday morning he rallied somewhat from the stupor and turned himself over in bed, but after that he gradually sank until the end came.

### President Deeply Moved.

The news of Sherman's death was immediately communicated to the president, who had been extremely solicitous as to his former premier's condition. The last word previous to the announcement of Mr. Sherman's death Monday morning had been received by the president at midnight Sunday night. The president was greatly affected by the news. He immediately directed that the white house be closed to visitors and the flag over the executive mansion placed at half-mast. After ordering some beautiful flowers to be sent from the white house conservatory, he went in person to Mr. Sherman's late residence to express his grief and offer what consolation he could to the bereaved family.

### Proclamation by the President.

The president Monday afternoon issued the following proclamation: "DEATH OF HON. JOHN SHERMAN—By the President of the United States of America.

"A Proclamation—To the People of the United States: In the fullness of years and honors, John Sherman, lately secretary of state, has passed away.

"Few among our citizens have risen to greater or more deserved eminence in the national councils than he. The story of his public life and services is as it were the history of the country for half a century. In the congress of the United States he ranked among the foremost in the house and later in the senate. He was twice a member of the executive cabinet, first as secretary of the treasury and afterwards as secretary of state. Whether in debate during the dark hours of our civil war, as the director of the country's finances during the period of rehabilitation, or as a trusted councillor in framing the nation's law for over 40 years, or as the exponent of its foreign policy, his course was ever marked by devotion to the best interests of his beloved land, and by able and conscientious effort to uphold its dignity and honor. His countrymen will long revere his memory and see in him a type of the patriotism, the uprightness and the seal that go to molding and strengthening a nation.

"In fitting expression of the sense of bereavement that affects the republic, I direct that on the day of the funeral the executive offices of the United States display the national flag at half-mast and that the representatives of the United States in foreign countries shall pay in like manner appropriate tribute to the illustrious dead for a period of ten days.

"Done at the city of Washington this twenty-second day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand and nine hundred and of the independence of the United States of America the one hundred and twenty-fifth.

"WILLIAM McKINLEY,  
"By the President: JOHN HAY,  
"Secretary of State."

The Statesman's Career.  
John Sherman was 78 years of age. He was born at Lancaster, O., and when he was six years of age his father died. In the spring of 1837 he set out to do something for himself, and obtained the position of junior rodman with the engineer corps working on the improvements of the Muskegon river. When 19 he went to Mansfield to study law with a brother. He was prepared for practice before he was 21 and practiced law actively until he was elected to congress in 1854.

Sherman and Coffey happened to enter public life together. They were both delegates to the national convention in Philadelphia, which nominated Zachariah Taylor in 1848. During that summer Mr. Sherman was married to Miss Cecelia Stewart, the only daughter of Judge Stewart, of Mansfield. He was president of the first republican state convention held in Ohio, which met in 1855 and nominated B. P. Chase for governor.

Mr. Sherman took his seat in the Thirty-fourth congress six years before the war. In the Thirty-fifth congress he made a number of able speeches and became much interested in the finances of the country. He was elected to the United States senate in 1861 and sat

vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Chase.

### Made Secretary of Treasury.

Mr. Sherman can almost be called the author and the founder of the financial policy of the republican party. President Hayes made Mr. Sherman his secretary of the treasury because he knew him to be the foremost financier of the age.

Returning to the senate on the close of his term in President Hayes' cabinet, Mr. Sherman took up the work of active legislation again, and for 15 years more was one of the leaders of the body in which he had previously spent other 15 years of usefulness.

Mr. Sherman again resigned from the senate in March, 1897, to accept the most important position in the gift of President McKinley, the secretaryship of state, from which he retired in April, 1898.

### His Greatest Task.

While secretary of the treasury in President Hayes' cabinet Mr. Sherman set himself to the task of providing a redemption fund to meet the resumption demands on the date already fixed by the senate. He sold 50,000,000 of 4% per cent. bonds to the Rothschild syndicate at 109%. The business of the country began to adjust itself on the assured basis of specie payments after January 1, 1879. During the four years he was at the head of the treasury department he refunded nearly \$80,000,000 of the public debt, making a saving in annual interest of nearly \$15,000,000 per annum.

Best of all, he proved his point when the final test came. Six months before January 1, 1879, he had accumulated \$140,000,000 in gold, and he had the satisfaction of seeing the legal-tender notes gradually approach gold in value, until, when the day came, there was practically no demand for gold in exchange for notes.

### CUBA IS PROSPEROUS.

One Year's Work in Reconstructing the Island, as Told by Leonard Wood, Governor General.

Washington, Oct. 22.—Wonderful progress has been made in the reconstruction of Cuba during the last year, according to Leonard Wood, governor-general of the island now in this city. He says:

The Cuban treasury now is self-sustaining, the government having an unimpaired balance of \$1,500,000.

This year's sugar and tobacco crop will be worth more than \$100,000,000. In addition the cocoa, coffee, vegetables and fruits, as well as the mineral products, will swell the total to an enormous sum.

An efficient customs service has been established. A revenue cutter service of six ships, five of them of steel construction, is one of the features. Each principal port has the usual officials for the revenue work.

Over 3,000 public schools have been established, employing 3,600 teachers, and 150,000 children are receiving instruction.

All prisons have been overhauled and repaired and many hundred prisoners under detention for long periods were released. Courts have been stimulated, the method of conduct of criminal cases improved, derelict judges removed, and correctional courts for minor offenders established.

Every town of any consequence has been provided with a well-equipped hospital. The largest one, in Havana, is capable of accommodating 2,000 patients. Asylums for orphan children have been established wherever necessary, but the improved conditions make fewer children dependent upon public charity.

The United States troops have not been used during the year for the maintenance of order. The rural guards, made up of Cubans, do the police work in the country districts.

Public buildings have been repaired, sanitary and street work in the cities is well advanced, and a thoroughly efficient mail service and overland telegraph system have been established.

Travelers can go from one end of the island to the other without being solicited by beggars, and hunger is absolutely a thing of the past.

### BOERS ARE ACTIVE.

Continually Harass the British Forces by Tearing Up Railways and Cutting Telegraph Wires.

Pretoria, Oct. 19.—The Boers are daily tearing up portions of the railroad and cutting the telephone and telegraph wires. Their attacks are intolerable. The repairing linesmen cannot leave the garrisoned points without considerable escorts. The only remedy seems to be to corral all the burghers and deport them, as apparently none can be trusted.

London, Oct. 20.—Lord Roberts reports from Pretoria, under date of October 18, as follows:

"A party of Boers got into Jagersfontein on the night of October 16 and a fight ensued in the morning. Our loss was 12 killed. The Boers' loss, their commandant and 20 killed.

Cape Town, Oct. 24.—Guerrilla attacks by the Boers are still giving great trouble. Gen. French encountered continuous opposition in his march from Carolina to Bethel, his casualties numbering 36.

### A Trust Betrayed.

New York, Oct. 24.—Charles L. Alvord, Jr., note teller of the First national bank of this city, is a fugitive and a defaulter to the extent of \$700,000. The announcement of the default, which was made Tuesday afternoon, created the utmost excitement in the financial district of the city, but the well-known stability of the First national and a statement issued by the bank had a quieting effect.

### Victim of Football.

Asheville, N. C., Oct. 22.—A. D. Price, of Palestine, Tex., a student at the Bingham school, died Sunday from injuries sustained in a practice game of football Saturday. His spinal column was broken between his shoulders.

### Eight Lives Lost.

New York, Oct. 18.—Eight people were burned to death or suffocated in a fire which partially destroyed the three-story and attic frame double tenement house, 45 and 45 1/2, Hester street, early Wednesday.

### Dropped Dead.

Boston, Oct. 20.—Capt. John B. Adams, of Lynne, past commander in chief of the G. A. R., dropped dead at the state house Friday afternoon. Death was due to heart trouble. He was 59 years of age.

### Legislature Adjourns.

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 23.—The Kentucky legislature sent the nonpartisan election law passed by it on Saturday to succeed the Goebel law to the governor Monday, and adjourned since die.

## Does the Baby Thrive

If not, something must be wrong with its food. If the mother's milk doesn't nourish it, she needs SCOTT'S EMULSION. It supplies the elements of fat required for the baby. If baby is not nourished by its artificial food, then it requires

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Probate Court for said County.

Estate of Derk Stowenjaans, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate of said County, Commissioners on Claims in the matter of said estate, and six months from the Second day of July A. D. 1900, having been allowed by said Judge of Probate to all persons holding claims against said estate, in which to present their claims to us for examination and adjustment.

Notice is Herby Given, That we will meet on Thursday the First day of November, A. D. 1900 and on Wednesday, the Second day of January, A. D. 1901 at ten o'clock a. m. of each day, at the office of Isaac Marshall, First State Bank Block in the City of Holland in said County, to receive and examine such claims.

Witness my hand and seal this 1st day of October, 1900.

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MURPHY, P. H., Attorney, Real Estate and Insurance. Office, McBride Block.	
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## Holland City News.

FRIDAY, Oct. 26, 1900.

N. J. WHELAN, Editor.

### Republican Nominations.

For President,  
ILLIAM MCKINLEY,  
of Ohio.

For Vice-President,  
THEODORE ROOSEVELT,  
of New York.

### Congressional Ticket.

For Member of Congress, Fifth District—  
WILLIAM ALDEN SMITH,  
of Grand Rapids.

### State Ticket.

For Governor—AARON T. BLISS, of Saginaw.  
For Lieutenant-Governor—O. W. ROBINSON, of Houghton.  
For Secretary of State—FRED W. WARNER, of Oakland.  
For State Treasurer—DANIEL MCCOY, of Kent.  
For Auditor-General—PERRY F. POWERS, of Westford.  
For Commissioner of State Land Office—E. A. WILDEY, of Van Buren.  
For Attorney-General—HORACE M. OREN, of Chippewa.  
For Superintendent of Public Instruction—DELOS FALL, of Calhoun.  
For Member of State Board of Education—JAMES H. THOMPSON, of Osceola.

### Legislative Ticket.

For State Senator, Twenty-third District—  
WILLIAM D. KELLY.

For Representative, First District—  
LUKE LUGERS.

For Representative, Second District—  
ROBERT ALWARD.

### County Ticket.

For Judge of Probate—J. V. E. GOODRICH.  
For Sheriff—H. J. DYKHUIS.  
For Clerk—C. K. BOYT.  
For Register—F. H. BURRIS.  
For Treasurer—F. J. FOX.  
For Prosecuting Attorney—P. H. MCBRIDE.  
For Circuit Court Commissioners—C. E. SOULE,  
G. E. KOLLEN.  
For Coroners—T. KIEL, O. E. YATES.  
For Surveyor—E. H. PECK.

HON. JOHN R. McARTHUR,

Ex Assistant Sec'y of  
State.

Will deliver an address at a  
Republican Rally, to be  
held in the Lyceum Opera  
House Tuesday Eve.  
October 30.

COME AND HEAR THE ISSUES OF THE  
DAY DISCUSSED FROM A REPUBLICAN  
STANDPOINT.

Hon. John. McArthur of New York,  
is very highly commended by Senator  
Frye. Mr. McArthur was special Secretary  
to the Legation in Spain under  
Gen. Woodford, and was subsequently  
acting Fourth Asst. Secretary of State  
during the present Administration.  
He was also Asst. Sec. to the American-Spanish  
Peace Commission of  
Paris, and afterwards Secretary to  
the Counsel of the Philippine Commission  
at Manila.

Among other things, Senator Frye,  
in speaking of Mr. McArthur, says  
that he is one of the very best men on  
the stump during this campaign.

Congressman Wm. Alden Smith in Holland

Saturday Evening, November 3

Congressman William Alden Smith  
will deliver an address at the Lyceum  
Opera house Saturday evening, November 3.  
It will undoubtedly be one of the largest  
political demonstrations ever held in Holland.

The republicans will leave nothing  
undone to make the affair memorable  
in the political annals of the town.  
One of the features of the evening  
will be a torch light procession.

The recent duet meeting addressed  
by Hon. G. J. Diekema and Hon. C.  
Van der Hoogt attracted so much attention  
and occasioned so much comment  
that there has been a demand  
for another meeting.

Hon. C. Van Loo, of Zeeland, one  
of the best informed men in this  
part of the country, was prevailed  
upon to address a meeting in response  
to this demand. Mr. Van Loo will  
deliver a speech in Kalamazoo to  
night and will arrive here tomorrow.  
He is one of the most eloquent of

speakers in the country and in his  
address will pay particular attention  
to the Boer question.

Mr. Diekema has promised to speak  
at the earnest request of many who  
heard him at the recent meeting and  
were pleased and instructed by his  
eloquent words. He is in great demand  
throughout the state but places the  
requests of his friends and neighbors  
in this city above the demands of  
others. The McKinley-Smith martial  
band, the West Michigan band and  
the Republican Glee club will be in  
attendance. A cordial invitation is  
extended to everybody to attend.

### Addressed The Republican Club.

One of the most enthusiastic and  
successful meetings of the McKinley-Smith  
Republican club was held last  
Monday evening. The speakers of the  
evening were Hon. Geo. Clapperton,  
of Grand Rapids and Hon. W. D.  
Kelly, of Muskegon, candidate for  
state senator on the republican ticket.  
Mr. Clapperton was introduced  
first and gave a sound argumentative  
address. He dwelt particularly  
on the false prophecies made by William  
J. Bryan four years ago and  
showed that under the administration  
of President McKinley prosperity had  
come and not ruin and disaster as  
predicted by the democratic nominee  
for president. Mr. Clapperton's speech  
was vigorously applauded and created  
a good impression. The club would  
like to hear from him again some time  
in the future.

Mr. Kelly's appearance in the club  
rooms was a surprise to the members.  
His coming was not advertised and it  
was by a lucky chance he was secured.  
He was in the city on business Monday  
and the officers of the club prevailed  
upon him to stay until evening and  
address the club. His address  
was a masterly effort. He is an able  
impressive speaker and his words carried  
conviction. He gave an exhaustive  
review and discussion of the Boer  
question and convinced the wavering  
ones that the republican party was on  
the right side and the democrats as  
usual were indulging in empty promises  
and vain threats.

### McKinley-Smith Republican Club will Go to Grand Rapids Monday Night.

At a special meeting of the McKinley-Smith  
republican club held last  
Wednesday night it was decided that  
the club go to Grand Rapids next  
Monday evening to take part in the  
Foraker demonstration. Senator Foraker  
of Ohio is one of the best campaigners  
in the country and the republicans  
of this section are anxious to hear him.

A special train has been chartered  
and all republicans who desire to take  
part in the demonstration are invited  
to go to Grand Rapids. The fare for  
the round trip is 25 cents and tickets  
are on sale at Lokker & Rutgers and  
Wm. Brusse's. The train will leave  
Holland at 6:30 o'clock and instead of  
waiting for the regular train the club  
will return on the special and will  
leave Grand Rapids at 10:30 o'clock.  
This will give all ample time to hear  
the eloquent speaker and catch the  
train for home. The Zeeland/Republican  
club will join the Holland delegation  
and the Hope College Diekema club  
will attend.

It is expected that 15 coaches will  
be placed at the disposal of the club  
and that at least 800 or 1000 will go  
to Grand Rapids. It is the object of  
the club to make this one of the largest  
and most enthusiastic demonstrations  
ever occurring in Holland or the  
Valley City. A torch light parade  
will be given in Grand Rapids. The  
republican club (martial band, the West  
Michigan band, the East Holland band  
and the Zeeland band will furnish  
the music. All the plans are made  
on a large scale and no republican  
should fail to take part in making  
a success of the affair. If you intend  
to go buy your tickets at Wm. Brusse's  
or Lokker & Rutgers. Names have  
been coming in by the dozen thus far  
and the demonstration promises to be  
the event of the campaign in Michigan.

### Political Situation in Hope College.

There seems to be some misunderstanding  
among the citizens of Holland in regard  
to the political situation at Hope College.  
This is largely due to a misleading article  
which appeared in the Holland Daily Sentinel  
some time ago and was readily published  
by the Ottawa County Times.

A thorough canvas has been made  
in the college and seminary and it  
was found that 85 and 7-10 per cent  
are republicans. The total number  
of voters, including professors was 76,  
of whom 55 are republicans, 12 democrats  
and 5 doubtful.

Out of the 12 democratic voters 3  
are professors, who would not be apt  
to associate their names with a college  
club. This leaves the Bryan club  
with a membership of 9 voters. What  
is that in comparison with 47 voters

## A Card.

I have been creditably informed that a folder has been prepared,  
for political purposes, containing among other things also opinions,  
expressed by me on the Boer question.

Since I at present belong to neither of the great political parties  
and take no special interest in the campaign; and since no one asked  
for my permission to print this matter, in this way, and for this purpose;  
and since I have publicly and repeatedly expressed my sorrow  
that the holy cause of the Boer war should be dragged down to the level  
of an issue in our American politics: I hereby express my disapproval  
and regret that my name should be thus associated with the political  
issues of the day and deny all responsibility for the same.

HENRY E. DOSKER.

in the Diekema club. They may  
claim 10 or more of the non-voters but  
that does not count.

The fact that the vice president of  
the Republican club has turned his  
coat is no argument in favor of the  
democrats.

BERT WINTER.

### High School.

At a meeting of the Alumni of the  
Holland High school held last Friday  
evening the following officers were  
elected: J. Van Putten, Jr., president;  
Miss Jeannette Blom, vice president;  
Miss Rose Davidson, secretary; Miss  
Carrie Purdy, treasurer. The plan of  
arranging for a series of lectures was  
discussed but no definite action was  
taken.

A High school Basket Ball Association  
was organized this week and they  
are now lighting and furnishing a  
large room in the attic of the Central  
school building, for use in this line of  
athletics. It is largely through the  
efforts of the girls that this was accomplished  
and they feel proud of their success;  
for before this the only way in which  
they could further the High School Athletics  
was by encouraging the boys in their efforts.

A foot ball game between the High  
school regulars and the Hope College  
Preparatory department is scheduled  
for Saturday afternoon at the sixteenth  
street grounds. In the last game  
between these teams neither side scored  
and a very interesting contest is therefore  
expected.

At a meeting of the Junior Class of  
the High school Oct. 23, Leonard  
Flehmman, Gertrude Sprietama and  
Mamie Reidsma were re-elected to  
their former positions as president,  
vice president and secretary respectively  
and Helen Scott received the largest  
number of votes for treasurer. At the  
Senior class meeting the same evening  
the following officers were elected:  
Hoyt Post, president; Peter Raffenaud,  
vice-pres; Matilda Damson, secretary;  
Harry Takken, treasurer.

## REGISTER

SATURDAY and MONDAY, November 3 and 5.

Register Saturday or Monday, November 3 and 5. You must register  
again or you cannot vote. Previous  
registration does not count.

The places for registration and election  
are as follows:

First ward, Basement of R. Kanter's  
building, 88 E. Eighth street.

Second ward, 148 River street, Ald.  
Kole's office.

Third ward, Office of Isaac Fairbanks.

Fourth ward, Residence of Rudolph  
H. Habermann.

Fifth ward, Residence of John A.  
Kooyers.

The registration books will be  
opened at each place from 8 o'clock a.  
m. to 8 o'clock p. m.

To vote you must be twenty-one  
years of age; you must have lived in  
the state six months and in the ward  
or township twenty days next preceding  
the election. You must be a citizen  
of the United States or else must have  
declared your intention two years and  
a half prior to Nov. 8, 1894. You are  
a citizen of the United States if you  
were born in this country, or have  
been legally naturalized, or if your  
parents were United States citizens  
when you were born in a foreign  
country, or if you came to this country  
with your parents when you were  
under sixteen and were a minor when  
they were naturalized.

But no citizen can vote unless he is  
registered, and he cannot register unless  
he goes in person to his ward registration  
place for that purpose.

### Fred Emerson Brooks at Winant's Chapel.

The Hope College lecture course  
will be opened Wednesday, Oct. 31 by  
the poet-humorist, Fred Emerson Brooks.

Mr. Brooks is not a stranger on the  
lecture platform. During the past  
ten years he has appeared in almost  
every state in the union. His lectures  
will be profusely interspersed with  
poems of his own composition.

His poetry partakes somewhat of  
the nature of Will Carleton's. As  
Mr. Carleton, he never fails to win admiration  
and creates enthusiasm among his auditors.  
"At times he is as tender as Cowper as patriotic as  
Whittier, as majestic as Bryant, as funny as Mark  
Twain." Chauncy M. Depew said: "Be patient gentlemen,  
we are to have more of Brooks later on."

### Webster Davis.

Webster Davis and Hon. William  
F. McKnight made democratic speeches  
in this city last Friday night. The  
democratic leaders of Holland wished  
to rival the William Alden Smith  
demonstration and advertised that besides  
the meeting in the opera house an  
overflow meeting would be held in the  
open air at the corner of Central  
Avenue and Eighth streets. It was  
their intention to have Mr. Davis address  
the open air meeting while Mr. McKnight  
spoke in the Opera House.

After Mr. Davis made his speech  
the crowd dwindled away and Mr. McKnight  
did not have the pleasure of addressing  
an open air meeting. It was different  
the night of the Smith-Hamilton rally.  
It will be remembered that after Mr. Hamilton  
finished his open air speech the crowd waited  
patiently for Mr. Smith who did not arrive  
from the opera house until 15 minutes  
after Mr. Hamilton finished his speech.  
Their patient wait was a tribute to Mr. Smith  
and the tribute was made more significant  
when he spoke. Then the crowd gave him an  
ovation.

This was in striking contrast to the  
reception given Mr. Davis when he made  
his speech in the open air. The crowd  
stood silent, and barring a little laughter  
and faint applause from small boys and  
a few democrats, there was no enthusiasm.  
It was far different from the reception  
accorded Mr. Davis when he was here in May.  
Then he spoke in favor of the Boers and  
against England. Then the people believed  
he was sincere in his convictions, but now  
they question his sincerity and as he offered  
very weak excuses for forsaking his party  
the people of Holland place no confidence  
in his utterances.

His statements regarding William  
Alden Smith were received with distrust  
and people do not believe them. They  
believe rather the statement made on his  
previous visit to the effect that "no district  
in the United States had a more popular  
representative than the Fifth and that he  
stood faithfully for the Boer cause." They  
believe what he said about Mr. Smith  
in an interview published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS,  
June 1, 1900, and for the benefit of those  
who may not have read that interview we  
insert it in this article. It is as follows:

"Mr. Smith he said, is one of the  
most consistent Boer sympathizers in  
Washington. In fact he is recognized as  
one of the leaders in every movement  
looking towards the advancement of the  
interests of the South African Republics.  
Mr. Smith's attitude is just exactly like mine.  
He believes as I do, and it is the height of  
folly to say that he is not on the right side  
of this question. He is faithful to the  
trust reposed in him by the Hollanders  
of this district and will always be found  
doing the right thing at the right time  
for the success of the movement in this  
country. This was shown at the dinner he  
gave in honor of the peace envoys from the  
Transvaal. He had the tact to arrange that  
they should meet and be brought in touch  
with the representative and most influential  
statesmen in this country, and by that act  
he did more for the cause the envoys represent  
than any other public official, for he made  
it possible for them to meet a class of  
statesmen who can and will do them good."

"Boer sympathizers at the national  
capitol say that Mr. Smith has done more  
to help the peace envoys present their cause  
to the people in the right light than any man  
in Washington, and you can say for me that I  
know he is in entire accord with those who  
aim to render to the Boers all assistance  
that is possible under the circumstances."

It will also be remembered that on  
his first appearance in this city he spoke  
as follows regarding an English-American  
alliance:

"Today, many foreign countries are  
slow to act in any cause in which they are  
led to believe, by the British press and  
the British officials, that this country is  
supporting Great Britain in any of her greedy,  
selfish schemes. In foreign countries, today,  
the representatives and sympathizers of the  
British Government are striving to create the  
impression that there is a secret alliance  
between our Government and the British Government.  
This I do not believe."

## New Dress Goods. New Trimmings.

We are showing all the latest new DRESS GOODS. We  
have also received a beautiful line of NEW  
DRESS TRIMMINGS.

New Gilt Braids  
New Fronts,  
New Gimps,  
New Allovers,  
New Yokes.

See the  
Display  
in our  
Show  
Window.

We aim to carry nothing but new and up to date goods at  
this store.

### One Hour Sale.

We bought a big lot of Manufacturers last ends of COTTON  
FLANNEL, they run from 5 to 10 yards in a piece  
(you need not buy any more than you want). On next  
Wednesday from 10 till 11 o'clock take your choice of the  
lot for

4c. a yard.

They are worth double what we sell them for.

JOHN VANDERSLUIS

The Busy Dry Goods Store.

## Unsurpassed in Merit

By any Cereal Food.

## Lower in price

than others.

Makes dishes fit to set before a king. A trial is sure to make you a  
regular customer.

## Walsh-DeRoo Wheat Grits

Nutritious, Delicious, Easily Cooked.

Guns,  
Mixed Paint,  
Garland Stoves.

Tree different articles; you may need all  
of them or only one. If you do you can find  
just what you want at our store.

Kanters & Standart.

## SHINGLES.

We are holding a

Special sale on

House and Barn  
Shingles. 2,000,000  
on hand

This gives you a chance to buy at a bargain.

Our barn shingles are good ones.

Club together and get lowest prices.

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Opposite Water Tower, - Holland, Mich.



Society and Personal.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Holcomb entertained the Jolly Time club last Friday evening. Mrs. Frank Hadden and I. Goldman won first prizes and second prizes were won by Mrs. M. J. Kinch and Otto Kramer.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boone entertained the Mystery club last Friday evening. Prizes were won by E. R. Allen and B. N. De Merrill. Delicate refreshments were served and a fine musical program was rendered.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Beckmann celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary Thursday evening Oct. 25 at their home 48 E 15th street. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all. Music was the chief feature of the evening. Many beautiful and costly gifts were received and the guests adjourned at an early hour.

The Century Club held its regular session last Monday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. O. E. Yates. It was an enjoyable affair and was attended by ninety of the club members. Hon. G. J. Diekema, the president made his inaugural address. Prof. J. T. Bergen talked upon the Chinese question from the Boer point of view, and a budget prepared by Mrs. C. C. Wheeler was read. The musical part of the program was rendered by Mrs. G. J. Diekema, Miss Maude Squier and Prof. J. B. Nykerk.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred Betts have returned from their Western trip.

D. J. Sluyter was in Chicago the first of the week.

Attorney Charles McBride was in Grand Rapids Monday.

Hon. P. Louter Wessels, of South Africa, was the guest of L. A. M. Riemans Sunday.

Cornelius Braam, was the guest of C. Braam, 344 Bates street Grand Rapids, last Sunday.

Miss Rena Ageman is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. De Kraker, East Fourteenth street.

Miss Mary Souter, Charles B. Stillman and J. Elferdink, Jr., have returned from Selby where they attended the Epworth league convention.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Van Drezer have returned from a visit to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Grannes, of Watertown N. Y. are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Stoketee.

J. C. Post was in Chicago this week.

Henry Kleyn transacted business in Grand Rapids Wednesday.

P. Oostema left Wednesday night for a business trip to Chicago.

G. Van Schelven attended the Burrows meeting in Grand Rapids Tuesday night.

Miss Gladys Hancock, of Chicago is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Bourton.

Oris Cook, of Port Sheldon was in the city Tuesday.

"Dar" Huff, of Ventura, was in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. Geo. P. Hummer, of Grand Rapids, was the guest of relatives in this city Thursday.

Eddie Robinson, of South Haven, was the guest of his brother, Will Robinson, of Hotel Holland Sunday.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

Children and Misses rubbers, 15 to 25 cents at M. Notier.

Warner Griesbach was arraigned before Justice Van Duren Monday on a charge of drunk and disorderly. He pleaded guilty and was sentenced to 30 days in the county jail.

The Detroit Evening Journal says that Col. Cornelius Gardener is in one of the Manila hospitals suffering with acute dysentery. It is expected that Col. Gardener's regiment will start for home some time in January.

Deer hunting licenses have been issued in this county to Austin Harrington and Albert Bekman of this city, L. M. Wolf and Geo. Howell of Hudsonville, and John Sparbuck of Grand Haven.

The annual convention of the Woman's Missionary societies of the Reformed church of the classes Grand River, Holland and Michigan will be held Nov. 1 in the Third Reformed church of this city.

Little Helene Van Duren, daughter of Mrs. Helene Van Duren of No. 156 Colt Avenue, Grand Rapids, underwent a severe but successful operation last Friday and is now on the way to a speedy recovery. The operation was performed by Drs. Marvin and De Lano.

At the annual meeting of the Aid society of the M. E. church the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. J. Elferdink, Jr.; first vice president, Mrs. C. Ooghehall; second vice president, Mrs. Rose; secretary, Mrs. Irene Reeve; treasurer, Mrs. Kate Robinson; financial secretary, Mrs. E. Ballard.

Rev. John Brook, of South Holland, Ill., occupied the pulpit of the First Reformed church last Sunday.

Ladies shoes, small sizes 2 to 4, former price \$2.00 to \$2.50, to close out at 65 cents at M. Notier, 206 River street See ad.

Edward Bertsch, of the firm of Blom Bertsch & Selby, left Monday for Mill Creek to take a position as foreman in the Bertsch tannery.

Mr. A. C. McCallin has been chosen to represent the Holland auxiliary at the missionary convention to be held in the M. E. church November 1 and 2.

Do not fail to hear Fred Emerson Brooks the poet, humorist and lecturer at Winants Chapel next Wednesday evening, October 31.

Those who expect to go to Grand Rapids on the Foraker special next Monday night are requested to buy their tickets at once in order that the committee on arrangements may know how many coaches to order. Tickets on sale at Wm. Brusse's and at Lokker & Rutgers.

The Republican Glee club is in great demand these days. To fill all its engagements it has been necessary to divide the club into two squads. Last night one division consisting of Messrs. Van den Beldt, De Goed, De Weert and Verburg attended a meeting in Port Sheldon and another division, consisting of Messrs. Kooyerr, Harrington, Holley and Garvelink sang at a rally in Graafschap.

Superintendent J. K. V. Agnew and assistant engineer Tuttle, of the Pere Marquette railway company, and James Bice, mechanical engineer in the commissioner of railroad department of the state were in Holland Tuesday and in company with F. M. Smart and M. J. Kinch of the Grand Rapids, Holland & Lake Michigan company and J. C. Holcomb, agent of the Pere Marquette, looked over the grounds at the point where the electric company propose to tunnel under the Pere Marquette tracks. The hearing on the matter will be conducted before Railroad Commissioner Osborne next week.

The twenty-sixth annual meeting of the Grand Rapids district of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society will be held at the M. E. church in this city Thursday and Friday, November 1 and 2. An interesting program has been arranged. Those who will take part are: Mrs. D. Stryker, of Hastings; Mrs. Libbie Smith, Mrs. Cutter, Mrs. J. Grabam, Mrs. N. W. Northrop, Mrs. Martha Campbell, of Grand Rapids; Mrs. Barnhart, Sparta; Mrs. Alice Pittenger, Shelby; Mrs. Jackson, Fremont; Rev. Rockwell Clancy, Allababad, India; Mrs. A. Clarke, Mrs. Daniel Bertsch, Miss Maud Elferdink, Holland; Mrs. C. B. Carpenter and Revs. Adam Clarke, D. W. Parsons and W. H. Phelps.

Judging from the success attending the organization of the Holland poultry association a poultry show will be held in this city this winter. J. L. Conkey is chairman of a committee appointed to solicit prizes for the show and it is expected that the business men will extend material aid. The association membership fee is fixed at \$1 and only members are allowed to enter birds at the regular poultry shows under the association's auspices. Each member is permitted to enter 10 birds of each variety without the paying of any fees. For every additional bird over 10 the payment of a fee of 10 cents each is required. An extra charge of 25 cents is made on all breeding hens. The officers of the association are: President, Wm. Brusse; secretary C. St. Clair; treasure, John Y. Huizenga.

As G. W. Mokma, cashier of the First State bank, and his assistants were busily engaged in their regular work last Monday noon they were startled by a loud noise and upon investigation discovered that something had been thrown against the plate glass front making a small hole and shattering the glass near the hole. At first they thought a shot had been fired through the window but they could find no bullet. Mr. O. Leary, the photographer, found a stone lying on the edge of the sidewalk. It was found that the corner of this stone fitted the hole, and the matter was fully explained when a traveling man stopping at Hotel Holland, said that as he was standing on the sidewalk a stone flew by his head, struck the sidewalk and bounded against the window. The stone was thrown from the opposite corner and it is thought that some small boy was trying to pitch stones. The damaged glass was covered by insurance in J. C. Post's agency.

Women's Missionary Meeting.

The second annual conference of the Women's Missionary Union of the Grand River, Holland and Michigan Classes will be held at the Third Reformed church of this city Thursday Nov. 1. Following is the program: AFTERNOON SESSION—TWO O'CLOCK. Devotional Exercises (Consecration Service) Mrs. P. De Bruijn.

Address of Welcome, Mrs. G. H. Dubbink. Response by the President of the Union, Mrs. J. Luxen. Hymn. Secretary's Report, Mrs. Geo. E. Kollen. Treasurer's Report, Mrs. Wm. Brusse. Solo—O Divine Redeemer—Gospel, Miss Grace Yates. Address—De betrekking tusschen de Kerk en de Zending-vereeniging, Mrs. J. H. Karsten. Solo—The Brighter Day, Angelo Marsheroni, Mrs. G. J. Diekema. Address, Mrs. A. Pieters. Reports of Auxiliaries. Question Box, Mrs. C. V. R. Gilmore. Miscellaneous business. Hymn. Lord's Prayer. Luncheon at six o'clock. EVENING SESSION.—7:15 O'CLOCK.

Hymn. Prayer and Scripture Reading, R. V. G. H. Dubbink. Anthem. Address—The Legal, Social, Moral and Religious Status of the Japanese Woman, R. A. Pieters. Solo, Prof. J. B. Nykerk. Illustrated Lecture, Mrs. M. B. Horton. Offertory. Solo, Dr. A. C. V. R. Gilmore. Prayer. Doxology. Benediction. Following are the officers of the Union: President, Mrs. J. Luxen, Muskegon. First Vice President, Mrs. P. De Free, Grand Rapids. Second Vice President, Mrs. P. De Bruyn, Holland. Third Vice President, Miss Jennie Kanters, Hel and. Secretary, Mrs. Geo. E. Kollen, Holland. Treasurer, Mrs. Wm. Brusse, Holland. Following is the Classical Committee: Mrs. D. De Boey, Grand Rapids. Mrs. R. Voncken, Zeeland. Miss Alice Bolt, Grand Haven. Mrs. C. V. R. Gilmore of this city is Vice President, for Particular Synod of Chicago.

Drowned While Bathing.

Rev. Daniel Van Pelt of Long Island City formerly pastor of Hope church was probably drowned in the East River at Hell Gate some time Tuesday night. He left his home at midnight to take a bath in the river. As his physician had recommended it for a nervous affliction from which he was suffering. Before leaving home he changed his clothes, putting on an old suit. The clothing was found early yesterday morning lying on Sealy Rock, on the shore road, about three quarters of a mile from the minister's house by a neighbor. The police decided that the man had either been carried out into the river by the ebbing tide and drowned or that his death was due to cramps.

Mr. Van Pelt was 47 years old and leaves a widow and two children. He was until eighteen months ago pastor of the Remsen street Reformed church, in Long Island City. He had been taking nightly baths in the river for some time, selecting that hour in order to avoid curiosity and publicity. The spot where the minister lost his life is a very dangerous one, and is far d even by strong swimmers.

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A Bloodless Face Indicates Trouble.

Watery Blood a Menace to Health.

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Vinol owes its virtue to the fact that it contains in a highly concentrated state the active curative principles extracted from cod's liver, the same elements that have made cod-liver oil famous for wasting diseases.

These medicinal elements are dissolved in a delicious table wine so that Vinol is most palatable.

None of the vile-smelling obnoxious grease that characterizes cod-liver oil and frequently makes it an impossible remedy for those who should take it, is found in Vinol.

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Because we know Vinol so well, and because we know so surely what it will do, and how it will accomplish the good it does in a scientific way, we unreservedly endorse and recommend it, and in every instance guarantee to refund to any one what they pay us for Vinol if they do not find it entirely satisfactory.

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Big Bargains IN SHOES and Rubbers.

I have one lot of Ladies Button Shoes Small Sizes, 2 1/2 to 4, cost \$2.00 to \$2.50 to close out at 65c.

Also one lot of fine Button Shoes, all sizes, cost \$2.25, to close out at \$1.35

Childrens' Rubbers 15 to 20c. Misses " 25 to 30c. storm " 25 to 35c. Boys " 25 to 35c

Remember we give tickets on all our Shoes and Rubbers for Watches, Clocks and Jewelry. Save money and get a fine premium free.

M. NOTIER, 206 River Street.

Chickens Wanted. Cash paid for chickens at John Y. Huizenga's.

There's an individuality about the Lokker Clothing that well dressed men appreciate.

FOR RENT—Stalls in barn. Inquire at 213 West Tenth street. 38-67

The man with the modest purse we count our star customer. Lokker & Rutgers Co.

Robbed The Grave.

A startling incident, is narrated by John Oliver of Philadelphia, as follows: "I was in an awful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Then I was advised to use Electric Bitters; to my great joy, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents guaranteed at Heber Walsh, Holland and Van Bree & Son, Zeeland.

Baxter's Mandrake Bitters Tablets are

Easy To Take. Sure In Effect.

They act gently on the Bowels, Liver and Kidneys, effectually cleanse the system from all impurities, beautify the complexion, prevent Headaches and Fevers, cure indigestion and dizziness, overcome habitual constipation, and restore the bloom and vigor of youth. Sold by all druggists, in tablets or liquid at 95 cents per box or bottle. Warranted to cure constipation.

THE MARKETS.

Wheat per bushel.....	23
Barley.....	50
Buckwheat.....	70
Oats.....	44 1/2
Corn per bushel.....	25
Flour per barrel.....	4 1/2
Cornmeal, bolted per cwt.....	1 30
Cornmeal, unbolted.....	1 00
Ground feed.....	1 00
Middlings.....	95
Brans.....	65
Hay.....	9 00
Butter per lb.....	18
Eggs per dozen.....	17
Pork per lb.....	12
Wood hard, dry per cord.....	2 00
Chickens, live.....	4
Spring chickens.....	5 7
Beans per bushel.....	1 50
Ground Oat cake per cwt.....	8 00
Dressed Beef.....	5 6
Mutton.....	6 1/2
Lard.....	7
Hams.....	7
Shoulders.....	7 1/2
Tallow.....	5 1/2
Hides—No. 1 Cured.....	9
No. 1 Green.....	8
No. 1 Tallow.....	4
Calf.....	11

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## THE FALL ELECTIONS.

Non Candidates for President to Be Voted For at the Polls on November 6.

New York, Oct. 20.—Ten candidates for president and vice president will be voted for on November 6. Ballots will not be cast for all of them in all the states, but the ten parties will be represented at the polls in most of them.

The following are the national tickets:

**REPUBLICAN.**  
President.....William McKinley, of Ohio  
Vice President.....Theodore Roosevelt, of New York

**DEMOCRATIC.**  
President.....William J. Bryan, of Nebraska  
Vice President.....Adlai E. Stevenson, of Illinois

**POPULIST.**  
President.....Adlai E. Stevenson  
Vice President.....William J. Bryan

**SILVER REPUBLICAN.**  
President.....Adlai E. Stevenson  
Vice President.....William J. Bryan

**MIDDLE-OF-THE-ROAD POPULISTS.**  
President.....Wharton Barker, of Pennsylvania  
Vice President.....Ignatius Donnelly, of Minnesota

**PROHIBITIONIST.**  
President.....John G. Woolley, of Illinois  
Vice President.....Henry B. Metcalf, of Rhode Island

**UNION REFORM.**  
President.....Seth Ellis, of Ohio  
Vice President.....Samuel T. Nicholson, of Pennsylvania

**UNITED CHRISTIANS.**  
President.....Dr. S. C. Swallow, of Pennsylvania  
Vice President.....John G. Woolley, of Illinois

**SOCIAL DEMOCRATS.**  
President.....Eugene V. Debs, of Indiana  
Vice President.....Job Harriman, of California

**DE LEON SOCIALISTS.**  
President.....Joseph F. Maloney, of Massachusetts  
Vice President.....Valentine Remond, of Pennsylvania

State tickets will be numerous, Illinois and Indiana leading with seven each; Colorado, Idaho, Kentucky, Michigan, New York, North Dakota, Ohio, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin following with five each; Connecticut, Delaware, Iowa, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, Kansas, South Dakota, Texas and Washington coming next with four each; Kansas, Missouri, New Hampshire and West Virginia trailing with three each; and then Florida, Nevada, Tennessee and Utah with two each; South Carolina with only one occupying the end of the line.

Maine, Oregon and Vermont have already elected congressmen and will vote for presidential electors only. Alabama, Arkansas, California, Georgia, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, New Jersey, North Carolina, Virginia and Wyoming having no state tickets, will choose congressmen and electors. All the other states elect congressmen.

Legislatures which elect a United States senator are to be elected in Kansas, Montana, New Hampshire, Texas, Illinois, West Virginia, Iowa, Massachusetts, Delaware, Michigan, Minnesota, South Dakota, New Jersey, Idaho, Nebraska, South Carolina, Tennessee, Wyoming, Colorado, Pennsylvania and Utah.

## DEATH LIST GROWS.

Many Bodies Are Found Every Day in Clearing Away Ruins at Galveston.

Galveston, Tex., Oct. 19.—One month and ten days have elapsed since the storm, and still the number of dead bodies being recovered daily does not decrease. Forty-two were recovered Thursday. This makes a record of 107 for the past four days. The total number of bodies officially reported to have been recovered is 2,907. A great many bodies were found, however, of which no report was made. It is not known how many were carried out to sea or to the mainland or how many still remain under the debris. There is no reason to reduce the former estimate of the loss of life.

Galveston, Tex., Oct. 22.—Gov. Sayers has submitted a statement of the moneys received by him personally for the benefit of the Texas storm sufferers. From September 10 to September 29 the actual amount of money received for this purpose by Gov. Sayers was \$670,326.20, and the total disbursements \$585,792.02, leaving a balance on hand October 1 of \$84,534.18.

To Remove Wreck of the Maine.  
Washington, Oct. 23.—Gen. Leonard Wood, governor general of Cuba, saw Secretary Long Monday and recommended that steps be taken to remove the wreck of the battleship Maine from Havana harbor, as it occupies a great deal of space which could be utilized to advantage. He said he thought the wreck would have to be taken up piecemeal instead of being raised as a whole.

Robbed of a Big Sum.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 24.—D. O. Prior, a stock dealer from Butler, was held up by highwaymen in the borough of Millvale Tuesday night and robbed of \$2,700. The money represented the proceeds of five car loads of cattle. The hold-up was accomplished by two men as Prior was walking along the Evergreen road.

Given a Life Term.

Davenport, Ia., Oct. 23.—George Stefens, a stranger arrested in this city last summer for assaulting an eighty-year-old girl, was convicted of the crime last week, and was sentenced by Judge Bollinger Monday to imprisonment for life in the penitentiary at hard labor.

Murder in South Dakota.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 24.—A Mellette (S. D.) special says: At Ashton, ten miles south of here, John Wilson shot and instantly killed Jack McLean with a shotgun, blowing the top of his head off, as a result of a dispute among the men of a threshing crew.

Twenty-seven Shocks.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 17.—Advises received here say that 27 distinct shocks of earthquake were felt at Kodiak, Alaska, and the earth was in a constant tremor for six hours. Great damage was done to property and one life was lost.

## LEGISLATIVE SPECIAL

State Lawmakers Do What the Governor Wants as to Railway Taxation.

### PRINCIPAL POINT OF DIFFERENCE

Between Senate and House Is Finally and Satisfactorily Settled.

Lansing, Mich., 18.—After a campaign that continued through five sessions of the legislature, three of which were extraordinary sessions convened for the particular purpose of considering them, the special charters of railroads operating in Michigan have finally been absolutely repealed and a constitutional amendment, under which can be enacted legislation taxing railroad and other corporations on the cash value of their property, has been submitted to the people. In addition to these measures there was enacted the necessary complement of the charter repeal laws, which is a law prescribing the method of legal procedure to be followed by the companies whose special charters have been taken away in proceeding against the state to recover damages for losses sustained by the repeal of these charters.

Governor's Message Is Brief.

In view of the numerous messages he had submitted to this legislature and its predecessor on the subject of special charter repeal and the submission of a so-called equal tax amendment to the constitution, the message which Governor Pinckney submitted to the legislature was rather brief, although he again went over these familiar subjects in a general way. After hearing the governor's message the legislature promptly got down to business, and the first thing done was the introduction in the house of a joint resolution proposing an amendment to article 14 of the constitution in the same form as proposed at the last special session, when it was defeated in the senate.

Point of Principal Discussion.

From the start there was every indication that the two houses would this time agree on the form of an amendment to be submitted, but there was no hope of the submission of the proposition embodied in the joint resolution mentioned for the reason the senators still objected to the classification feature, which, they claimed, was responsible for the previous defeat. This classification clause empowered the legislature to classify corporations for the purposes of taxation and to provide a different rate of taxation for different classes of corporations; providing, however, that the rate to be paid by corporations of the same class should be uniform.

The point was the one principally discussed during the session, and the discussion was finally ended by the adoption by both houses of section 11 as it appears in the published laws appended hereto.

Procedure in Damage Suits.

The bill prescribing the method to be followed by the companies in proceeding against the state for damages was passed without a dissenting vote, and only seven votes were recorded against the charter repeal bills in the house.

The governor submitted two other matters to the legislature, neither of which was acted favorably upon. One was for the submission of a constitutional amendment authorizing an intermediate court to aid the supreme court. The other was a law to legalize the action of the state tax commission in arranging for the appraisal of the property of railways, etc., which now pay a specific tax.

Senate Takes a New Departure.

When all the repeal bills had been passed by the senate Governor Pinckney, who was an interested observer of the proceedings, was formally invited to address that body. This was a decided departure from the course of the senate in the past, a decided feeling of hostility between a majority of that body and the chief executive having existed. The governor, however, promptly accepted the invitation, and was liberally applauded when he was escorted by a committee of senators to a place at the side of President Robinson, where he briefly addressed the senate.

Closing of the Session.

After farewell speeches by Representatives Anderson, of Kent, and Chamberlain, of Gogebic, who are about to retire after long years of service in the legislature, the entire company, governor, legislators and spectators, rose and sang "Michigan My Michigan," under the leadership of Representative Lusk, of Bay. In order to give time for the enrollment of the bills for presentation to Governor Pinckney for his signature, final adjournment was not reached until Monday noon, when the two houses were formally adjourned without ceremony of any kind.

WORK OF THE SPECIAL SESSION.

Text of the Joint Resolution and the Railway Charter Repeal Bill.

The following are all of the enactments of the legislature at the special session which ended Monday:

Joint resolution proposing amendments to the constitution relative to the taxation of corporations.

Resolved, by the senate and house of representatives of the state of Michigan, That the following amendments to the constitution of the state of Michigan, be and the same are hereby proposed and submitted to the people of this state, that is to say, that section ten of article fourteen of said constitution be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 10. The state may continue to collect all specific taxes accruing to the treasury under existing laws. The legislature may provide for the collection of specific taxes from corporations. The legislature may provide for the assessment of the property of corporations at its true value, by a state board of assessors and for the levying and collection of taxes thereon. All taxes hereafter levied on the property of such classes of corporations as are paying specific taxes under laws in force on Nov. 6, A. D. 1900, shall be ap-

plied as provided for specific state taxes in section one of this article.

That section eleven of article fourteen, of said constitution be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 11. The legislature shall provide a uniform rule of taxation except on property paying specific taxes, and taxes shall be levied on such property as shall be prescribed by law: Provided, That the legislature shall provide a uniform rule of taxation for such property as shall be assessed by a state board of assessors, and the rate of taxation on such property shall be the rate which the state board of assessors shall ascertain and determine is the average rate levied upon other property upon which ad valorem taxes are assessed for state, county, township, school and municipal purposes.

That section thirteen of article fourteen of said constitution be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 13. In the year one thousand nine hundred and one, and every fifth year thereafter and at such other times as the legislature may direct, the legislature shall provide for an equalization of assessments by a state board on all taxable property, except that taxed under laws passed pursuant to section ten of this article.

And be it further resolved, That the said proposed amendments be submitted to the electors of this state at the general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, in the year 1900; that the secretary of state is hereby required to certify this proposed amendment to the clerks of the several counties of the state, as required by section three thousand six hundred and twenty-four, of the compiled laws of 1897, but it shall be sufficient if the same shall be so certified at least ten days before such election. The several county clerks shall, at once, upon the receipt of such certified amendment, convene the board of election commissioners of such county. The several county clerks shall, at once, upon the receipt of such certified amendment, convene the board of election commissioners of such county, and the said board shall forthwith prepare a ballot for the use of the electors desiring to vote upon said amendment, which shall be substantially in the following form:

At the top of each ballot shall be printed in bold-faced type the words, "Vote on the amendments to the constitution relative to the taxation of corporations." Then shall follow:

"Amendments to the constitution relative to the taxation of corporations."

"Yes."

Such ballots, so prepared, shall be sent out by said board of election commissioners at the same time and in the same manner as the ballots to be used at said general election. And it shall be the duty of the board of election inspectors, at each voting precinct in this state, to see to it that each elector is furnished with a ballot relative to such proposed amendment, at the same time that he is furnished with a general ballot, and to inform such elector of the nature and purpose of it, and each elector shall be required, on coming out of the booth and tendering his vote to the inspectors of election, to produce and hand to such inspectors the ballot relating to such amendment, who shall place the same in the box prepared for that purpose.

All votes cast therefore shall be taken, counted, canvassed and returned as provided by law for the election of state officers.

This joint resolution is ordered to take immediate effect. Approved Oct. 15, 1900.

An act to repeal act number forty-two of the session laws of 1846, entitled, "An act to authorize the sale of the Central railroad, and to incorporate the Michigan Central Railroad company," approved March 28, 1846, and all acts amendatory thereto, and the same are hereby repealed, said repeal to take effect and be in force from and after the 31st day of December, 1901: Provided, That the right to institute proceedings against the state for the determination of the damages, if any, which it may sustain by reason of such repeal is hereby reserved to said Michigan Central Railroad company. And further provided, That the right of said company to receive compensation from the state on account of this repeal shall not be prejudiced by the voluntary surrender of its charter and its reorganization prior to said 31st day of December, 1901, under the provisions of section 6225, Compiled Laws of 1897.

This act is ordered to take immediate effect. Approved Oct. 15, 1900.

An act to provide for the institution of actions against the state by railroad companies created, and which have heretofore existed under special charters, to recover damages sustained by reason of, and resulting from, the repeal of the special charter under which such companies were created, organized, and existed prior to such repeal. The people of the state of Michigan enact:

Section 1. Whenever the charter of any railroad company organized, created, or existing under and by virtue of the provisions of any special act enacted prior to 1850, which provides that the state shall make compensation for damages sustained in case of repeal, shall be withdrawn or revoked by the repeal of such special act, such railroad company may, within one year from and after the date that such repeal shall go into effect and not thereafter institute an action of trespass on the case against the state of Michigan, in the circuit court for the county of Ingham, Kent or Wayne, for the recovery of any damages which it has sustained, and to which it is entitled by reason of such repeal of such special charter. Process shall be served upon the governor, and the case shall proceed in accordance with, and be governed in all respects by, the law and practice governing similar actions between individuals in this state.

Sec. 2. Upon final judgment being

rendered, the same may, upon application by such railroad company, be certified by the clerk, and under the seal of the court in which the same is entered or to which the same has been appealed or removed, to the auditor general; and he shall thereupon issue his warrant for one-third of said judgment with accrued interest; and during the next following year he shall issue his warrant for another one-third of said judgment with accrued interest; and during the next following year he shall issue his warrant for the balance of said judgment with accrued interest: unless provision for earlier payments, or an immediate satisfaction of said judgment shall be made by the legislature. Said warrants shall be paid by the state treasurer to the railroad company entitled thereto or to its assigns, out of the general fund. The auditor general shall add to and incorporate the amount paid each year on account of said judgment, in the next succeeding state tax, and the money collected therefrom shall be placed to the credit of the general fund to reimburse it for the moneys thus paid.

Sec. 3. All acts and parts of acts in any way inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

This act is ordered to take immediate effect. Approved Oct. 15, 1900.

An act to repeal an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Detroit and Pontiac Railroad company," approved March 7, 1834, and act number 140 of the session laws of 1855, entitled, "An act to authorize the consolidation of the Detroit and Pontiac and the Oakland and Ottawa Railroad companies, so as to form a continuous line from Detroit to Lake Michigan, under the name of the Detroit and Milwaukee Railway company," and all acts amendatory or supplementary thereto. The people of the state of Michigan enact:

Section 1. That an act of the territorial legislative council of Michigan, of 1834, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Detroit and Pontiac Railroad company," approved March 7, 1834, and an act number 140 of the session laws of 1855, entitled, "An act to authorize the consolidation of the Detroit and Pontiac and the Oakland and Ottawa Railroad companies, so as to form a continuous line from Detroit to Lake Michigan, under the name of the Detroit and Milwaukee Railway company," and all acts amendatory or supplementary thereto, the same constituting the special charter under which the Detroit and Milwaukee Railway company, now known as the Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee Railroad company, was created, be and the same are hereby repealed, said repeal to take effect, and be in force from, and after the 31st day of December, 1901.

Approved Oct. 15, 1900.

An act to repeal act number 113 of the session laws of 1846, entitled, "An act to authorize the sale of the Southern railroad, and to incorporate the Michigan Southern Railroad company," and all acts amendatory or supplementary thereto.

The people of the state of Michigan enact:

Section 1. That act number 113 of the session laws of 1846, entitled, "An act to authorize the sale of the Southern railroad, and to incorporate the Michigan Southern Railroad company," and all acts amendatory or supplementary thereto, be and the same are hereby repealed. Provided, That the right to institute proceedings against the state for the determination of the damages, if any, which it may sustain by reason of such repeal is hereby reserved to said Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad company. Provided, further, That this act shall not be taken as an admission on the part of the state that the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad company at present operates its road under a special charter, or that it is entitled to any damages by reason of this repeal.

This act is ordered to take immediate effect. Approved Oct. 15, 1900.

An act making an appropriation for the Industrial School for Boys, for repairing and strengthening the north wing of the main building.

Section 1. The people of the state of Michigan enact: That the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) or so much of this sum as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated for the purpose of repairing, strengthening and making safe the north wing of the main building at the Industrial School for Boys.

Approved Oct. 15, 1900.

An act to incorporate the Erie and Kalamazoo company," approved April 22, 1833, and all acts amendatory or supplementary thereto.

Section 1. The people of the state of Michigan enact: That an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Erie and Kalamazoo Railroad company," approved April 22, 1833; act number 158 of the session laws of 1846, entitled, "An act in regard to the Erie and Kalamazoo Railroad company," approved May 18, 1846; act number 111 of the public acts of 1887, entitled, "An act to require the Erie and Kalamazoo Railroad company or any lessee thereof having control of or operating the Erie and Kalamazoo railroad, to operate and maintain, or to abandon its line of road between Palmyra Junction and the city of Adrian," approved May 10, 1887, and all acts amendatory thereto, be and the same are hereby repealed, said repeal to take effect and be in force from and after the 31st day of December, 1901.

Approved Oct. 15, 1900.

Concurrent resolution providing for the binding of the session laws of the special session of the legislature 1900, with the session laws of the regular session of 1901, and providing members of the legislature with the same.

Resolved by the senate, (the house concurring), That the session laws of this special session be bound with the session laws of the next regular session of the legislature, and not in a single and separate volume, except such number as may be required for immediate distribution, which shall be bound in paper covers, and

Be it further resolved, That all members of the present legislature be supplied with a copy of the volume containing the session laws of both sessions, when printed and bound.

Approved Oct. 15, 1900.

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## Mortgage Sale.

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage bearing date the 11th day of May A. D. 1899 made and executed by John Otto and Sophia Otto, his wife, of Blenden, Ottawa County, Michigan, unto Arle Root, of the same place, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for said Ottawa County in Liber 24 of Mortgages or Page 367 on the 14th day of May A. D. 1899 at 11 o'clock a. m. And by reason of such default there is, at the date of this notice, claimed to be due upon the debt secured by said mortgage, including principal, interest and an attorney fee provided by law, the sum of Eight hundred eighty-seven and 85-100 (\$887.85) dollars:

And no suit nor proceedings at law or in chancery having been instituted to recover the amount due as aforesaid, or any part thereof:

Now therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statutes of Michigan, in such case made and provided, the undersigned will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder at the North outer front door of the Court House, in the City of Grand Haven, in the County of Ottawa and State of Michigan, (that being the place where the Circuit Court for said county is held), on Saturday, the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the premises described in said mortgage, which are as follows, to wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the Township of Blenden, Ottawa County and State of Michigan, described as the North half (1/2) of the South half (1/2) of the North East quarter (1/4) of Section number two (2) in Township numbered six (6) North of Range numbered fourteen (14) West, containing forty (40) acres of land, more or less, according to Government Survey.

Dated at Grand Rapids, Michigan, this 25th day of June A. D. 1900.

JACOB STEENKRE, ARLE ROOT, Attorney for Mortgagee. Mortgagee. 83 Monroe Street, Grand Rapids, Mich. 24-15w

## Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.

COUNTY OF OTTAWA, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Tuesday the 9th day of October in the year one thousand nine hundred.

Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Adriana Nyssen deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Jan W. Garvelink, Executor of the estate of said deceased, praying for the license of this Court, to sell at private sale, certain lands belonging to the estate of said deceased, as in said petition described, for purposes therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the Twelfth day of November next,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CURRY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy. Attest.)

JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.

FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

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Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the north front door of the court house in the city of Grand Haven, Ottawa County and State of Michigan, said court house being the place for holding the Circuit Court for said County, on Monday the 22nd day of October, A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, all the following described parcel of land, to-wit, all that certain part or parcel of land situated in the Township of Holland, County of Ottawa, and State of Michigan described as follows: that part of the north west quarter of the south east quarter of section eighteen (18) Township five (5) north of range fifteen (15) west, which is bounded on the north, east and west sides by the north, east and west lines thereof, and on the south side by a line of the Allegan, Muskegon & Traverse Bay State Road as it ran in 1897, and is bounded on the south side by a line parallel with the north line of said tract running from the foreclosed road to the east line of said tract and far enough south from the said line to include (10) acres of land.

GEO. E. KOLLMEYER, Circuit Court Commissioner in and for Ottawa County, Michigan.

G. J. DIEMER, Solicitor for complainant.

Dated Sept. 3, A. D. 1900.

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15% Hands High. Weight 1100 Lbs. Geo. Starr, record 2:17, by Direct, 2:05; dam Red Girl, 2:23; by Red Wilkes; second dam Valley Girl, 2:30, sister of Dick Swifler, 2:18, by Wilkili Chief, brother of Orange Girl, 2:30, Hambletonian No. 10 out of Dolly Mills, by Seely's American Star.

## ALMEDIUM

By Pilot Medium, first day Alsen, record 2:14, by Alcyon; second dam Nellie Chesbro, by Jim Clay, thoroughbred. The above horses will stand at North Park during the season. Services fees, \$35.00. GEO. G. ROBERTS, 28 N. Division St.

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# MINERS' OFFICIALS MEET.

Executive Officers of the Union Will Probably Decide to Call Strike Off.

## MITCHELL TO MAKE THOROUGH CANVASS

Official Announcement by the Big Coal Companies in the Lackawanna Region Anxiously Awaited by the Labor Leaders—Strikers Hold Up Trolley Car.

Hazleton, Pa., Oct. 24.—The meeting of the national executive board of the United Mine Workers and the officials of the three anthracite districts whose men have been on strike for over five weeks began Wednesday. This meeting, it is believed, will take positive action as to whether the strike shall be declared off at a certain time. It is not thought that the official notice ending the contest will be issued at this meeting. It is the intention of President Mitchell to make a thorough canvass of the situation. The action taken Tuesday by the superintendents of the several coal companies at Scranton in adding 2½ per cent. to the car or ton in order to make up the ten per cent. net increase in wages is not thoroughly understood at strike headquarters here, and none of the officials will venture an opinion until they satisfy themselves as to its meaning. Although the strikers prefer this method of making up the ten per cent. by adding to the car rather than by figuring it out entirely in the powder

reduction, yet they think the 2½ per cent. is not quite enough to make up the ten per cent. These companies, in granting the 2½ per cent. increase on the car or ton, figure that in lowering the price of powder to \$1.50 an additional 7½ per cent. is given the men, thus making the ten per cent. advance. The notices posted by these companies will be carefully analyzed and it is believed on the result of this analysis depends the early end of the strike.

The labor leaders are anxiously awaiting an official announcement by the big coal companies in the Lackawanna region guaranteeing the payment of the ten per cent. advance until April 1. It is understood that these companies have unofficially stated that they will continue to pay the increase until that time, but the strike leaders would rather have them make the statement officially.

Will Declare Strike Off.

Shamokin, Pa., Oct. 24.—A long-distance telephone message from President Mitchell at Hazleton was received here late Tuesday night by George Hartline, secretary of District No. 9 of the United Mine Workers, summoning him to Hazleton to attend an important conference at two o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Hartline is a member of the executive board. Before leaving here he said the conference would likely declare the strike off.

Strikers Hold Up Trolley Car.

Shenandoah, Pa., Oct. 24.—Three hundred strikers Wednesday held up a trolley car at Mahanoy City that was carrying about 40 men to work at St. Nicholas colliery. These men were supposed to be employed at dead work, which the union does not try to prevent, but the strikers learned that they were engaged in preparing coal for the market. John Fisher, a carpenter, who was on the car, resisted the efforts of the strikers to prevent him from going to work and he was severely beaten. All the others returned to their homes without a protest.

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## ROOT VISITS MCKINLEY.

The Secretary of War Accompanied by His Wife a Guest at the President's Home.

Canton, O., Oct. 24.—Secretary of War and Mrs. Root reached Canton Wednesday morning for a few days' visit at the McKinley home. They arrived soon after ten o'clock on the regular Pennsylvania train.

President McKinley and Secretary Cortelyou drove to the station to meet them, and the president greeted the visitors at the car platform. When they started for the house the coachman was dismissed and the president himself drove.

The president and Secretary Root took a drive about the city before lunch. The president's party will start for Mansfield at 7:30 o'clock Thursday morning. The funeral train from Washington is expected to reach Canton at that time and a private car assigned to the president will be attached here. Mrs. McKinley will not go to the funeral. Judge Day and several other Canton friends and several from Cleveland will accompany the president. The party will return to Canton on a special train late in the afternoon.

## CLEVELAND'S ATTITUDE.

The Ex-President Refuses to Disclose It, But Corrects an Apparent Misunderstanding.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 24.—The Trenton True American quotes ex-President Cleveland as saying: "I am not aware of having made any statement that would justify the assertion that I am going to support Mr. McKinley." Mr. Cleveland declined to make any

## TAKING THE OATH OF ALLEGIANCE.



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statement regarding his position, and the words quoted were made in response to a suggestion from the reporter that a recent letter of his reiterating his financial views of 1895 was being construed as meaning he intended to support Mr. McKinley in the present campaign. Mr. Cleveland added that he had retired from political activity and must decline to be drawn into a discussion of a political character.

## Vote Against Revision.

Columbus, O., Oct. 24.—The Columbus presbytery decided by a practically unanimous vote to recommend to the committee of 15, recently appointed by the Presbyterian general assembly of the United States to consider the question of the revision of the creed of the church, a supplemental, explanatory statement of the confession, prepared by Rev. Dr. E. D. Morris, of this city. The vote against revision was 22 to 16.

## Held as a Witness.

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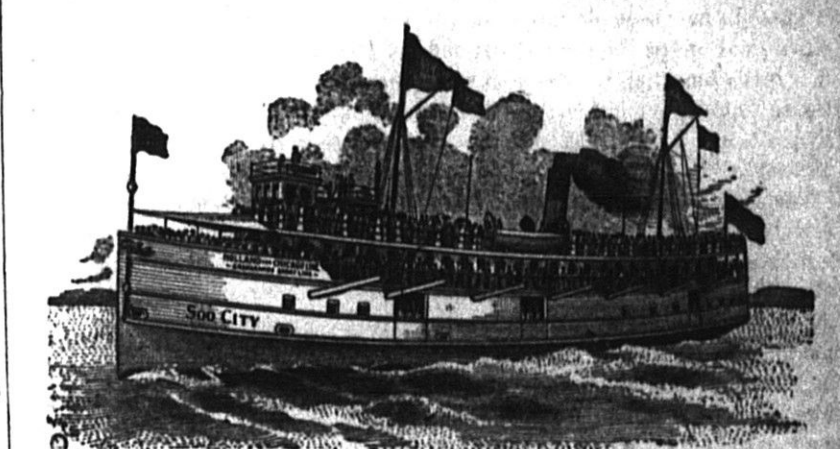
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## Holland City News.

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### W. D. Kelly Replies.

Editor HOLLAND CITY NEWS:

I notice with some degree of disgust an article which attempts to show my record in the last legislature published by the Ottawa County Times in its issue of the 19th inst. As my opponent Mr. Root is making statements on the stump in line with this article I assume that he is its author. Any man who will misstate the facts and deceive the voters he pretends to enlighten is neither entitled to their votes or a seat in the Senate.

I will take item for item of this article and prove by the records that some one has lied. It is an easy matter to take the records and show how this or that one voted on a bill and carry a wrong inference, but when the bill itself is understood and the further fact that several votes are often taken on the same bill before it becomes a law, a different understanding may be had and so my friend, the author has clearly demonstrated either his ignorance of the facts or has acted the part of a knave or a fool and I think in this case has done both.

"There are people who can see others fault with eyes shut, but could not see their own with a microscope."

The first bill mentioned: Cheever-Atkinson bill. The article says I voted against it February 18, 1899. The facts are the bill passed the house February 25th instead and I voted against it because it took the matter out of the hands of the people and placed the taxation of great properties in the hands of a board of politicians to be appointed by the Governor. The Senate amended it and on March 8th the bill came back giving the people the right to elect the board, and I voted for the bill. See House Journal page 762.

This bill has been declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court and it is really amusing to see a lawyer trying to make a point on a worthless proposition, after a decision of our highest tribunal.

The second bill mentioned: The Fish bill. I voted for the close season for the reason that Canada on the east of us, Wisconsin on the west of us and the upper peninsula by reason of early and long winters had a close season, that the few fishing grounds of the lower peninsula comprised less than one-fourth of the water frontage of the great lakes should be protected from encroachment of outside fishermen to the detriment of our own. Besides I represented a district that asked for it.

The oleo margarine bill is the next: The people of the Upper Peninsula through their representatives and by petition asked to be exempted from the provisions of this bill and on that proposition I voted to give them what they asked for and were entitled to have.

The Beet Sugar comes next: On this bill my position was not in direct opposition to the idea. I believed it to be unconstitutional and I did not favor a straight one cent a pound bounty as I thought it too much but I was willing to fix any reasonable limit from twenty-five thousand dollars to fifty or even sixty thousand dollars per factory and had this been done it would never have gone to the courts. As it was the courts have decided it to be unconstitutional and it is amusing again to see a lawyer trying to make a point on a matter disposed of by the highest tribunal in the state. Further, when the appropriation came up I voted for it and even introduced a resolution to give forty thousand dollars to each factory each year for the full period stated in the original bill.

Next came the Inheritance Tax Bill: The article says Kelly voted against it. Yes Sir, I voted against it and would do so again. I will ask any thinking man if he wants to tax the right to dispose of his property by will to his relatives, his wife and little children or heirs as he leaves this world forever. What was this bill? "A bill providing for the taxation of inheritances, transfers of property by will, transfer of property by the intestate laws of this state or transfers of property by deed, grant, bargain, sale or gift made in contemplation of death of the grantor, vendor or donor or intended to take effect in possession or enjoyment at or after such death."

If you would vote for this Mr. Root it is sufficient reason for you to stay at home.

What next: The Michigan Central Charter. Now here is where the author displays his ignorance. There was no vote taken to repeal this charter at all. The motion was to take the bill away from the committee and I voted No. The question involved large damages to the state and the bill as introduced was defective. A substitute was reported April 26th. House Journal 1488 and I voted Aye.

What next: The Stenographers Resolution. When Mr. Root goes to Lansing and votes for every resolution to employ stenographers at large

expense running into the thousands of dollars he will think twice before doing so.

What next? The resolution denouncing the Detroit Evening News, etc. The author has lied here. See House Journal page 1662, May 8th, 1899. I voted against laying the resolution on the table to dispose of it and I was not one of the 32 who voted for it.

What next? The Military deal. Why my dear sir I was the man who drafted the resolution to investigate the military frauds and gave it to Representative Phillips of Van Buren to introduce as I did not care to take the chairmanship of the committee.

What next? Taxation of Union Depot Companies. I claim more credit than any other man in the legislature for having depot companies taxed. I was on the conference committee of the two houses and proposed in that committee the taxing of these properties and it was done. I would suggest Mr. Root that you look over the bills with some degree of care. The bill you refer to wanted to exempt depot companies.

What next? The bill for Law Libraries. This was not a bill but a resolution and at the request of the lawyers of the house I voted for it. On this proposition I would vote against it, again, although there are many good reasons in favor of it.

What next? The submission of a constitutional amendment. The author has lied again. I voted for it on its final passage although I favored a better provision in the sense of revising the constitution as a whole.

What next? Sleeping cars. There was no vote taken on the proposition at all. See Journal page 2449. For the information of the author I will say that the vote was to discharge the committee of the whole from consideration of the bill and on that proposition I voted No.

Now my friend, if you will take the same trouble to inform the people of some of my votes on other matters as you have attempted to deceive them in this it would be better.

"Some preachers, in their zeal, cast as a drift from the doctrines of the Bible and wandering aimlessly on the sea of Rhetoric, finally founder upon the rocks of logic"—and nobody's hurt.

Respectfully,  
W. D. KELLY.

### To Be Thoroughly Tested.

New York, Oct. 24.—It is already arranged that Shamrock II. will have some important trial spins in the Solent with Shamrock I. It was in the Solent that last year's challenger for the America's cup, when racing against the prince of Wales Britannia, displayed her speedy qualities for the first time. Matches between the two Shamrocks will, it is expected, take place next April.

### Decision Against Dowlette.

Mansfield, O., Oct. 24.—Judge Campbell Wednesday dismissed the application at petitioner's cost in the habeas corpus case of the Dowlette deacon Kessler, holding that Kessler was not illegally deprived of liberty, but placed himself in the hands of the officers. The judge said Kessler was at liberty to go where he sees fit. The deacon went to Chicago at noon.

### American Lady Found Dead.

Paris, Oct. 24.—Mrs. Margaret Foulke was found dead at the Champs de Mars railway station, in the grounds of the exposition. Her body was identified by her brother-in-law, Mr. Freeman. Mrs. Foulke was traveling with Mr. Freeman and his daughter. She was a widow and resided in San Francisco. Her son is a lawyer of that city.

### Twenty-Four Sailors Drowned.

London, Oct. 24.—A special dispatch from Madrid says the French steamer Faidherbe (late Chigwell), was sunk Tuesday in collision with the French steamer Mitidja, which was seriously damaged, but succeeded in reaching Alicante. The Mitidja rescued eight of the crew of the Faidherbe, but 24 other members of the crew of that vessel were drowned.

### The Seal Catch.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 24.—During the season just closed 34 sealing schooners took 16,000 skins in Behring sea, which is 8,000 less than taken by 25 schooners last year. The spring schooners took 16,517 skins on the coast, bringing the total for the season up to 32,517. Only 55 branded seals were taken in Behring sea.

### Promoted.

Milwaukee, Oct. 24.—Albert P. Chapman, of this city, for many years in the passenger department of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road, has been appointed city ticket agent of that system at Chicago, to take effect November 1.

### Beckham Signs the Bill.

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 24.—Gov. Beckham Wednesday approved the non-partisan election bill passed at the extra session of the legislature, which adjourned Monday.

### Horse Trainer Suicides.

San Rafael, Cal., Oct. 24.—Patrick Rice, formerly one of the most famous of American race horse trainers, has committed suicide near this city by taking laudanum.

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## PLAN A NOVEL FEATURE.

Score of Bands Led by Searchlight to Play at Roosevelt Meeting.

### THE GOVERNOR CONTINUES HIS TOUR.

Mr. Bryan Leaves the Train and Uses a Boat in Reaching Many Towns in Maryland—Finishes Tour of That State and Goes to Delaware.

New York, Oct. 24.—One of the most novel musical features ever attempted in this city is being arranged for Friday night at Madison square for the demonstration in Gov. Roosevelt's honor. A score or more of bands will unite in playing the "Star Spangled Banner" and the time will be beaten for all the bands within sight of Madison square by a searchlight on the tower of Madison Square garden. This giant baton of white light will be manipulated by an experienced musical director and the volume of music is expected to be something extraordinary.

### Gov. Roosevelt's Tour.

Norwich, N. Y., Oct. 24.—Gov. Roosevelt, the third day of his second electioneering tour of New York state, arose about eight o'clock and breakfasted at nine. He was in good health and suffered only a little from hoarseness. The day's trip, which began at ten o'clock, took the vice presidential candidate to Utica, stops being made at Earlville, Cazenovia, Canastota, Oneida and Rome. There was a stay of two hours and a half at Utica in the afternoon, then a run to Herkimer, where a stop of 25 minutes was made, after which Gov. Roosevelt returned to Utica for the big evening demonstration. At Earlville, where the first stop of the day was made, the governor took up the statement of Mr. Bryan that the people of Porto Rico, particularly the blacks, were disfranchised.

Gov. Roosevelt took particular delight along the route Wednesday in asserting that Mr. Bryan was absolutely insincere as was proven, he alleged, by the fact that the state of Nebraska had no labor laws and that Mr. Bryan while in congress never attacked a trust.

### TAKES TO WATER.

Mr. Bryan Makes Part of His Trip in Maryland by Boat.

Easton, Md., Oct. 24.—The democratic presidential candidate Tuesday night abandoned railway coaches and other land carriages for a trip on the water. He came down Chesapeake bay from Baltimore to the hamlet of Claiborne, on the eastern shore of Maryland, and he devoted the forenoon of Wednesday to canvassing that section of the state, speaking at the towns of St. Michaels, Easton, Preston, Hurdock, Vienna, Salisbury and Berlin. He left the boat at Claiborne, and from that point traveled by special train.

At St. Michaels, the first stopping place of the day, Mr. Bryan spoke to a small number of people who had congregated there. Among those in the crowd were some colored people, and to them Mr. Bryan addressed himself to some extent. Before speaking to the colored people, he referred to the question of trusts. He again charged that the republican party was suggesting no remedy for the trusts, and that the reason why this was so was that the republican campaign contributions came from the trusts.

Easton was the scene of a large gathering. This is the county seat of Talbot county, an important agricultural center, and here Mr. Bryan addressed himself especially to the farmers. Referring to the trusts, Mr. Bryan told his hearers that they were especially dangerous to the farming community. Salisbury, Md., Oct. 24.—Mr. Bryan had a fine audience here and he made a speech of an hour's duration, contrasting the republican and democratic platforms.

In closing his speech at Easton Mr. Bryan made an appeal for the support of the entire democratic ticket, including both the state and congressional branches of it.

In his talk at Vienna Mr. Bryan compared the government to a composite photograph, and said that again a photograph of that character each face is impressed upon it, so in a government each individual should make himself felt in the composition of his government.

### Passes into Delaware.

Berlin was Mr. Bryan's last stopping place in Maryland. There he was met by a Delaware escort committee and he began his tour of that state.

In the Berlin speech, which was attentively listened to by a good audience, Mr. Bryan dwelt especially upon the subject of taxation without representation, contending that it was just as unfair for the United States to tax the Filipinos without giving them representation in our legislative bodies as it was for England to tax the American colonies prior to the revolution without their being represented in the British parliament.

### Stevenson at Adrian, Mich.

Adrian, Mich., Oct. 24.—When Adlai E. Stevenson, democratic candidate for vice president, rose to speak in the opera house here Wednesday it was packed to the doors and many people had been turned away, unable to gain admittance. The schools closed to permit the scholars to hear Mr. Stevenson, and several factories also shut down for the occasion. Mr. Stevenson spoke 45 minutes and discussed trusts, imperialism, the Porto Rican tariff and the United States' attitude toward the South African republics in the recent war.

### HOW ALVORD WORKED IT.

Explanation of the Heavy Defalcation from the First National Bank of New York City.

Washington, Oct. 24.—Mr. T. P. Kane, the acting comptroller of the currency, Wednesday gave out a statement regarding the defalcation in the First national bank of New York in which he says:

"During the progress of the examination by Bank Examiner Hanna, October 15, of the First national bank, Assistant Cashier Backus discovered that the note and exchange teller, Alvord, was short in his cash to an amount which has since been found to be \$990,000. His thefts have been going on for a long time. The plan of concealing them and making the cash on hand agree with the amount for which he was accountable, as shown by the books, was to take out of the morning mail, of which he was in charge, a sufficient number of cash items to cover the aggregate amount of his defalcation and add them to the exchanges for the clearing house received during the preceding day."

New York, Oct. 24.—Up to 11 o'clock Wednesday Cornelius L. Alvord, the defaulting teller of the First national bank, had not been arrested and it was said no news had been received of him. Mrs. Alvord left her home in Mount Vernon and came to this city Wednesday morning. It is said she does not intend to return to Mount Vernon.

It was learned Wednesday that when the Alvords went to Saratoga last summer they took with them all their horses and carriages. It took two cars to transport the outfit. The horses were blooded animals and the vehicles were all of the handsomest description. One set of harness alone is said to have cost \$1,500 and everything about the stable equipment was on the same scale.

Vice President Hine, of the First national bank, in answer to a number of questions put to him in regard to Alvord and the general situation, said that the bank had cleared up the whole matter of the defalcation to its own satisfaction. This was interpreted to mean that just how and when Alvord had taken the money had been discovered by the officials. Mr. Hine said he did not care to talk about the matter.

President Baker, who arrived at the bank from Tuxedo early in the day, would not say anything to inquirers, except to refer them to the vice president.

### For Adjustment of Societies.

Springfield, O., Oct. 24.—The second day's session of the American Missionary association's fifty-fourth annual meeting opened in the Court Square theater with a devotional meeting led by Rev. Dr. Elijah Hox, of Medford, Mass. In the business session which followed, Rev. Dr. S. Clark, of Salem, Mass., chairman of the special committee, appointed for the purpose, offered a report on the readjustment of all the Congregational missionary societies in their relations to each other.

### THE FALL ELECTIONS.

Ten Candidates for President to Be Voted For at the Polls on November 6.

New York, Oct. 20.—Ten candidates for president and vice president will be voted for on November 6. Ballots will not be cast for all of them in all the states, but the ten parties will be represented at the polls in most of them.

The following are the national tickets:

REPUBLICAN.

President.....William McKinley, of Ohio

Vice President.....Theodore Roosevelt, of New York

DEMOCRATIC.

President.....William J. Bryan, of Nebraska

Vice President.....Adlai E. Stevenson, of Illinois

POPULIST.

President.....William J. Bryan

Vice President.....Adlai E. Stevenson

SILVER REPUBLICANS.

President.....William J. Bryan

Vice President.....Adlai E. Stevenson

MIDDLE-OF-THE-ROAD POPULISTS.

President.....Wharton Barker, of Pennsylvania

Vice President.....Ignatius Donnelly, of Minnesota

PROHIBITIONIST.

President.....John G. Woolley, of Illinois

Vice President.....Henry B. Metcalf, of Rhode Island

UNION REFORM.

President.....Beth Ellis, of Ohio

Vice President.....Samuel T. Nicholson, of Pennsylvania

UNITED CHRISTIANS.

President.....Dr. S. C. Swallow, of Pennsylvania

Vice President.....John G. Woolley, of Illinois

SOCIAL DEMOCRATS.

President.....Eugene V. Debs, of Indiana

Vice President.....Job Harriman, of California

DE LEON SOCIALISTS.

President.....Joseph F. Maloney, of Massachusetts

Vice President.....Valentine Heumann, of Pennsylvania

State tickets will be numerous, Illinois and Indiana leading with seven each; Colorado, Idaho, Kentucky, Michigan, New York, North Dakota, Ohio, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin following with five each; Connecticut, Delaware, Iowa, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, Kansas, South Dakota, Texas and Washington coming next with four each; Kansas, Missouri, New Hampshire and West Virginia trailing with three each; and then Florida, Nevada, Tennessee and Utah with two each; South Carolina with only one occupying the end of the line.

Maine, Oregon and Vermont have already elected congressmen and will vote for presidential electors only. Alabama, Arkansas, California, Georgia, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, New Jersey, North Carolina, Virginia and Wyoming having no state tickets, will choose congressmen and electors. All the other states elect congressmen.

Legislatures which elect a United States senator are to be elected in Kansas, Montana, New Hampshire, Texas, Illinois, West Virginia, Iowa, Massachusetts, Delaware, Michigan, Minnesota, South Dakota, New Jersey, Idaho, Nebraska, South Carolina, Tennessee, Wyoming, Colorado, Pennsylvania and Utah.

### Robbed of a Big Sum.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 24.—D. O. Prior, a stock dealer from Butler, was held up by highwaymen in the borough of Millvale Tuesday night and robbed of \$2,700. The money represented the proceeds of five car loads of cattle. The hold-up was accomplished by two men as Prior was walking along the Evergreen road.

### Given a Life Term.

Davenport, Ia., Oct. 23.—George Steffens, a stranger arrested in this city last summer for assaulting an eight-year-old girl, was convicted of the crime last week, and was sentenced by Judge Bollinger Monday to imprisonment for life in the penitentiary at hard labor.

### Murder in South Dakota.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 24.—A Mellette (S. D.) special says: At Ashton, ten miles south of here, John Wilson shot and instantly killed Jack McLean with a shotgun, blowing the top of his head off, as a result of a dispute among the men of a threshing crew.

### Twenty-Seven Shocks.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 17.—Advises received here say that 27 distinct shocks of earthquake were felt at Kodiak, Alaska, and the earth was in a constant tremor for six hours. Great damage was done to property and one life was lost.

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